COURT SETS MRS. KELLEHER FREE

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RUSSELL LAWYER CALLS NO. 1 CLAIM ONLY FAIRY TALE

Daniel Blake Russell, the stalwart claimant to half the Russell fortunes from North Dakota, smiled grimly to-day in the East Cambridge court room before Judge Lawton, as he heard Lawyer Robert W. Nason denounce him as an impostor. His many friends, who crowded the court room, frowned.

Nason argued that Russell's story was a fairy tale that he had invented with the apparent belief that the court was a nursery that could be easily fooled. He declared that the scholarly, refined young man who left his home in Melrose would not have become so coarsened as the claimant had so soon after he left home.

OVATION IN COURT FOR DANIEL NO. 1.

Daniel No. 1 received an ovation when he appeared in the court room. Many of the women waved their handkerchiefs to him. At noon they crowded about him and expressed their confidence in the result.

"Your time is coming to-morrow, Dan," one woman said to him, "then we'll give them what is coming to them."

"I am not worrying about the result," replied the claimant, cheerfully.

Daniel took a seat not far from one that was occupied by William J. Russell. There was no glance between the two men who are declared to be long separated brothers by one, and perfect strangers by the other.

Court opened for the final arguments in the Russell will hearing at 9.30. A conference then took place between all of the attorneys in the case, including Attorney William Odlin and Senator George Cartwright. Lawyer Odlin moved that Judge Lawton postpone arguments in the case in order that the case of Daniel Russell No. 2 might be presented at this time.

Women Cheer Dakota Man.

Attorney Simpson for the first claimant objected and Judge Lawton denied the motion and ordered that the arguments be started at once. After the conference Lawyer Odlin and Cartwright left the court room. Outside they examined the testimony and exhibits in the case.

Daniel Blake Russell, who is not in court. The first claimant was, the set inside the bar enclosure, not a few minutes removed from William C. Russell. The latter ignored the claimant from North Dakota and did not look in his direction once.

When Daniel Blake Russell entered court there was a general demonstration. The women, who formed the majority of the spectators, stood in their seats and waved handkerchiefs at him. Cries of "Hello Dan" were heard all over the room.

At 10:25 o'clock Lawyer Nason began the opening argument in behalf of the respondent, William C. Russell. He denounced claimant No. 1 as an impostor. He addressed the court as follows:

"From the beginning of this case back in the distant Summer time when John M. Jones led the march through the storm centre of this controversy from Illinois through to the present hour the honorable court, to its eminence, its supremitiful patience and by its legal learning, has given to the important interests the attention that they have deserved and this trial will go down into history placed side by side with the greatest trials that have ever been held.

Invasion from Bad Lands.

"In passing I might heave a sigh for the noble Russell estate which has so well borne the marauding invasion from the 'Bad Lands' of the far West. I hope the time will come when there will be a way of preventing such experiences.

"We find at the close of many days' trial, which began on September 20th, and after hundreds of witnesses had testified, 200 I think, and with over 300 exhibits in the case, we find now that we are about to summarize that evidence in a brief space of time. The endeavor of the petitioner here is to prove that he came from the genealogical Russell tree and to prove that that product is the natural fruit. We say for the estate that it is not the natural fruit but the product of a foreign graft, perhaps some French-Canadian fruit. What was the origin of this petitioner? What did it grow?

"Twenty-five years ago a young man left his home in Melrose and, upon some of the evidence, never held communication with home again until this time. The cause of his leaving on the evidence is vague and uncertain. On the evidence no

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CITY TO MAINTAIN 2 VISITING NURSES

Mayor Fitzgerald promised Mrs. James F. Mumford to-day that the Board of Health will have a fund of $2,500 during the coming year for the maintenance of two visiting nurses for the inspection and treatment in contagious cases. Mrs. Mumford has been greatly interested in the work and has maintained the two nurses for the past two months.

"Roosevelt Emerging from the Jungle."

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500 WEAVERS GO ON STRIKE OVER FINES

NEW BEDFORD, April 4.—With 3,000 looms idle in the immense weaving room of the Grinnell mills here, the corporation will lose $1,000 a day because of the strike declared to-day by the Weavers' Union. Five hundred weavers held an indignation meeting in the open air, near the mill, and went on strike.

The cause of the strike is declared to be the action of Agent George H. Booth in making "cuts" in a system of fining by which a weaver has his pay "docked" for cloth injured in the producing process. The strikers demand a new basis of fining.

Trouble has been brewing for a week. The mill hands appointed a committee of the strikers will meet to-night in an effort to reach an adjustment.

HIGH TRIBUTE TO ARCHBISHOP

"Catholicism and Americanism" was the subject of one of the most interesting addresses ever given before the Boston Chapter of the Knights of Columbus, by Thomas H. Lonergan of New York. Mr. Lonergan paid tribute to John Boyle O'Reilly and to Wendell Phillips, saying, "I consider Wendell Phillips the noblest type of intellectual and moral manhood that New England ever produced." The speaker reviewed the brilliant history of Catholics in America, beginning with Charles Carroll, one of the signers of the Declaration of Independence. He told of Commodore John Barry, founder of the American Navy, of the valiant Irish and Catholic regiments which fought during the Civil War, and of Archbishop John Hughes, a close friend and adviser of Abraham Lincoln. The speaker said: "Your own learned Archbishop O'Connell is a living definition of the title of my subject in its broadest and highest conception. He is not only a great churchman, but he is a great American and a born leader of men."

OPERATORS TO MAKE COAL MINES SAFER

CHICAGO, April 4.—Reports from the coal strike districts indicate more clearly than before that the situation is adjusting itself for that much reform is to be done in the way of conferences between operators and miners during the next months work. Many operators are taking advantage of the suspension to equip their mines with more modern appliances such as were shown to be necessary by the cherry disaster.

$12,000 IN STAMPS TAKEN FROM "YARDS"

CHICAGO, April 4.—J. Mason Smith, a clerk in the mailing department of one of the stockyard packing concerns, is under arrest charged with the theft of $12,000 worth of postage stamps. The thefts were said to have covered a period of seven years.

CAPT. HAINS STILL ON THE PAYROLLS

SEATTLE, Wash., April 4.—Although Captain Peter C. Hains, Jr., who killed William Annis, is serving a term in a New York prison, he is still on the payroll of the government as commanding officer of the 30th Company, Coast Artillery Corps. The chief of the coast artillery is anxious to have Captain Hains's place filled, as he is not available for duty, and the matter will be taken up with President Taft.

STATUE OF CLAY.

LEXINGTON, Ky., April 4.—The heroic statue of Henry Clay will be unveiled here April 12. The statue stands sixteen feet high.

Mrs. Kelleher Leaving Court a Free Woman

Snapshot to-day at East Cambridge Court Building, by Boston American photographer.

CITY WINS AN OLD LAWSUIT

The United States Supreme Court to-day put an end to the litigation between the Chamber of Commerce and the city of Boston by affirming the judgment of the Superior Court of Massachusetts which allowed the Chamber $5,000 damages for the triangular plot of ground which the city took by condemnation proceedings in 1898.

The action was brought by the old Chamber of Commerce, the contention being that the city should pay full damages of $600,000 for the property. It was carried from the Superior Court to the Supreme Court and from there to the United States Supreme Court. The case has been in the courts for about six years.

The city took the property to widen the street but has used it as a passage for a sewer. At the time the adjustment of damages was attempted the city and the Chamber could not agree on the amount, the city being willing to pay nominal value of $5,000 and the Chamber asking for the full value of $600,000.

BANK ROBBERS GET GOLD AND GAG CHIEF

OMAHA, Neb., April 4.—The First National Bank of Ringgold, Neb., was dynamited and robbed of $10,000 in gold and currency by three masked men who escaped. Town Marshal Carroll was held up on the street, bound and gagged and life preserver taken away. He was placed in the bank while seven explosions wrecked the bank.

URGE AQUARIUM FOR SOUTH BOSTON

Alexander Pope, the well known artist, and F. W. Coburn, acting as representatives of the Massachusetts Zoological Society, urged Mayor Fitzgerald to-day, his influence in bringing about the construction of an aquarium at Marine Park, South Boston. They suggested that the income of the Parkman fund be used for this purpose. Mayor Fitzgerald promised an early consideration of the project.

Makes Flesh and Strength Father John's Medicine is guaranteed.

BOND BILL IS UP TO MALONE

The question of admitting for discussion at this session of the Legislature the New Haven railroad's bill to exempt the bonds of the Boston Railroad Holding Company from taxation is up to Attorney-General Dana Malone. If the attorney-general decides that the bill is unconstitutional the House Committee on Rules will vote that it should not be admitted by the lower branch, although the Senate has already admitted it. If the attorney-general decides that the measure has no constitutional flaws, it can be stated authoritatively that the Rules Committee will be divided, with a majority favoring its admission. A four-fifths vote in the House will then be required to admit it.

The House Rules Committee met to-day to discuss the bill for the second time. It adjourned to await the attorney-general's opinion on the bill. The tax exemption clause first proposed by its backers in accepting State, city and town bonds as under a bill passed last year to apply only to future issues, but the bonds of the Boston Terminal Company.

INSURANCE MAN'S MEMORY POOR

NEW YORK, April 4.—State Superintendent of Insurance William H. Hotchkiss had for his first witness to-day in his investigation into the fire insurance companies and their "Yellow Dog" fund E. H. A. Corning, vice-president of the Home Fire Insurance Company, who was a member of the laws and legislative committee of the fire underwriters. Mr. Corning showed a very weak memory. He could not recall how much was spent for the companies in 1905 and did not know why $8,500 was paid for counsel in that year when in 1906 only $3,000 was the sum necessary.

PAINTERS OF FALL RIVER ON STRIKE

FALL RIVER, April 4.—Two hundred members of the Painters' Brotherhood today went on strike. The job painters striking receive $2.75 a day. They demand $3 a day. The master painters have offered the men $2.80 a day, but the offer has been refused.

ACQUIT WOMAN ON POISONING CHARGE

Jury Instructed to Return Verdict After Speech by District Attorney Higgins. Evidence Insufficient For Trial.

Mrs. Mary Kelleher was set free this noon. She had been in jail eighteen months awaiting trial on a charge of wholesale murder of her relatives by poisoning them.

In the Middlesex Superior Court at East Cambridge to-day she was brought before a jury which was empanelled simply in order that it might, by direction of the court, bring in a verdict of "not guilty" on all six counts against her.

NO EVIDENCE TO CONVICT.

The jury was directed to do that after District-Attorney J. J. Higgins of Middlesex had informed the court that there was not sufficient evidence to convict Mrs. Kelleher.

Mrs. Kelleher, with smiling face, heard the words which freed her of the murder charges. She was also under charge of arson, the original charge which led to the investigation of the alleged murders.

The court ordered that she be allowed to go on her own recognizances in the arson charge. It is not expected that the arson charge will be heard from again.

Thanked by Mrs. Kelleher.

Mrs. Kelleher seemed to bear no ill-will against the District Attorney because she had been held in jail a year and a half. She even thanked him for her release.

For herself, she said:

"I was absolutely innocent. I never doubted that I would go free. I was longing for the trial."

Of her prison life she merely said: "It is a hard thing to be in prison."

Mrs. Kelleher was freed at 12.06 p. m. It was 12:01 when her counsel, Hugh Bancroft, finished his address to the court, following the address of District-Attorney Higgins.

After Mr. Higgins ceased, Judge William R. Stevens, who presided said:

"The motion made by the District Attorney meets with the approval of the court. The government never desires a verdict of guilty unless there is ample evidence to justify it.

"The defendant in this case appears to be a victim of an unusual combination of circumstances. The District-Attorney acts properly in the efforts he made in the

Complimented by Court.

"Going in good faith, the District Attorney, in the Judge's opinion, held the court just what evidence he had in this case and desired some explanation or evidence concerning matters in which a grave doubt existed and matters very material to the case. Acting in good faith, counsel for the defendant made known just what evidence they had secured that bore upon the question to substantiate their contention that the defendant was insane. These witnesses were called in and their testimony listened to by the judges and the District Attorney.

"As a result the District Attorney came to the wise conclusion and a conclusion which met the approbation of the court, that the defendant should not be placed upon trial for her life, but instead should be allowed her liberty.

"The District Attorney Higgins came to a wise conclusion and the decision in this case should meet with the approbation of everybody.

Address to the Jury.

Turning to the jury Judge Stevens continued:

"It gives me great pleasure to ask you to return a verdict of not guilty on all of the counts of the indictment against the defendant."

During Judge's remarks, Mrs. eKlleher was standing, facing the court with a smile on her face.

Clerk Ambrose asked Foreman Cash if the jury had agreed and Foreman Cash hurriedly responded that it had. Then, taking each count separately, he said:

"Count one, not guilty."—"Not Guilty."

After the count had been read that Mrs. Kelleher was guilty in her own person, alleged to be connected by its bonds with setting State street, City and town bonds under a bill passed last year to apply only to future issues, but the bonds of the Boston Terminal Company.

Prisoner Thanks the Jury.

Court immediately adjourned. As Mrs. Kelleher was led around to the stairway leading to the office of the court officials she passed near the railing of the jury box. The jurymen were starting out.

"Thank you, thank you, gentlemen," said Mrs. Kelleher, bending toward the jury.

The latter nodded back pleasantly to her.

Court opened for the consideration of Mrs. Kelleher's case at 10:30. Fifteen minutes earlier Mrs. Kelleher entered the room, escorted by the matron of the court. She took her seat beside counsel, facing the judge's bench. When she took her seat she removed her veil and chatted pleasantly with the matron until the Court came in.

On her way to court Mrs. Kelleher unbuttoned her coat, remarking to Mrs. Shaw, the matron, "It is warm."

"It will be better outside, Mary," replied Mrs. Shaw.

"Yes," said Mrs. Kelleher, "then my prayer to be answered."

Court was called by the crier at 10:40. Clerk Ambrose with the indictment in his hand called on Mrs. Kelleher to stand. She raised her right hand and Clerk Ambrose read the indictment, charging her with six murders.

twelve minutes. At its conclusion the clerk said, "Are you guilty or not guilty?"

Pleads "Not Guilty."

"Not guilty," said Mrs. Kelleher. Her voice was firm and she seemed perfectly calm.

District-Attorney Higgins then moved that a jury be impanelled. Mrs. Kelleher was told to stand, and informed that she had the right to challenge twenty-two of the jurors without assigning any reason, and challenge as many others as she had a reason for. It took ten minutes to impanel the jury. Mrs. Kelleher stood all the time, but made no objections as the men were chosen.

William S. Cash of Malden, a retired merchant, was chosen foreman of the jury. When they had taken their seats the indictment was read to the jury. District-Attorney Higgins then began his address to the jury. It was 11:20 when he commenced to talk. He finished at 11:40. He said in part:

"In brief, gentlemen of the jury, this indictment charges Mary Kelleher with six murders committed by the use of arsenic. The death returns showed that Annie had died of poisoning of the gastric tract, that Knowles had died of rheumatism, Mary of bronchitis, William of heart trouble and Stephen, the husband, of pneumonia. Bridget Knowles was insured for $1,000, although the defendant was not the beneficiary. Upon the death of Stephen, her husband, Mrs. Kelleher secured $2,000. She received $200 from the death of Catherine, $170 from Willie's death and $45 upon the death of Mary. She collected $53 in insurance upon the death of her sister Annie. Suspicion being aroused, the body of Catherine was exhumed. Positive evidence of arsenic was found in the liver and in the viscera. Then three other bodies were exhumed, those of the ladies of Stephen, the husband, and Bridget, the sister-in-law. Arsenic was found in all the bodies, and it was evident that all had died from poisoning from arsenical poisoning.

"Plain Elements of Poisoning."

"The District Attorney, under the power that the law gives him, can begin and end criminal proceedings at any time prior to the impanelling of a jury, and he is responsible not to the court, not to the Governor, but to his own conscience. Up to this time the District Attorney must have been satisfied. Strange and unusual conditions have come into this case. The District Attorney's office has not been able to give the proper time, and for a case of this importance until within a very few weeks. The grave officials have been glad the truth, whether Mary Kelleher introduced arsenic into the stomachs and bodies of the victims, or whether the arsenic came there through some circumstances beyond the control of the prisoner.

"There were in all the cases of the victims the plain elements of arsenical poisoning. There were the symptoms as recognized by the medical men, and the case was the fatty degeneration of the liver, the inflammation of the throat, and the insurance matter in five of the six cases with the primary the beneficiary. Still one important link in the chain of evidence, at the command of the government has been unable to learn just how the arsenic came into the bodies of these unfortunate victims. So that the government has not felt that they believed that it had the sufficient evidence in asking a jury to convict the prisoner upon the indictment you have just heard read.

Witness Not Positive.

"One of the most unusual and startling features in this case is that not a single witness called by the government who know Mrs. Kelleher would say that they believed that she was capable of committing such a deed as those charged to her, or believed that she did commit such deeds. The only evidence in all the case of arsenic found in the bodies. In some the amount was large, in other very small. Two grains of arsenic is considered a fatal dose. Several were found in the body of Catherine, only one-fiftieth of a grain was found.

Arsenic In Body Explained.

"In the other bodies a much smaller quantity was found than in the body of

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THE WEATHER.

Showers to-night and Tuesday. Light to moderate east to south winds.

Sun rises—5:22 a. m.; *sets*—6:11 p. m.

Moon rises—9:43 a. m.

High tide—6:05 a. m.; 6:42 p. m.

ROOSEVELT PAYS VISIT TO KING

ROME, April 4.—Theodore Roosevelt, cheered by the Roman populace, visited King Victor to the Quirinal to-day.

To-morrow morning King Victor will take Mr. Roosevelt driving, the honor being almost unprecedented.

American flags were displayed every where. Sympathetic crowds followed his carriage to the palace.

The meeting between Mr. Roosevelt and the King was simple. The ex-President and his son Kermit were led through the guarded halls of the palace, lined with troopers at present arms, to the audience chamber. There the formalities were soon over, and Mr. Roosevelt engaged in an informal chat with the King. They discussed military affairs and politics, although Mr. Roosevelt was shy in talking of affairs American. The King expressed his liking for America and Italy's gratitude for its sister's help at the time of the Messina disaster.

Mr. Roosevelt paid a tribute to the Duke of the Abruzzi, referring to his accomplishments as a hunter and an explorer.

Presents Are Exchanged.

The King gave Mr. Roosevelt a curious ancient Roman coin, and Mr. Roosevelt in turn presented Victor Emmanuel with a specimen of the St. Gaudens issue of eagles. Mr. Roosevelt wore a frock coat in his Quirinal visit instead of the usual evening dress. The meeting was like that of two old friends instead of two statesmen.

From the Quirinal, the Roosevelts went to the Pantheon, where the former President placed wreaths upon the tomb of former Kings of Italy. After an inspection of the historic structure and a little sidetrip of sight-seeing, Mr. Roosevelt and Kermit returned to their hotel.

A pleasing incident at the Pantheon was a chance meeting between Mr. Roosevelt and the Queen Dowager Margherita, who detained the ex-President to converse for some moments.

Mr. Roosevelt was not left to himself by the public for any prolonged period in Rome. Crowds swarmed about the Quirinal before 10 o'clock, which was the hour with the King took place. The crowd

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21 LIVES LOST IN SHIPWRECK

LONDON, April 4.—The British ship Kate Thomas, from Antwerp to Falmouth, was cut in two in a collision with an unknown vessel to-day, off Land's End, and twenty-one lives were lost. A cabin boy was the only survivor. The ship Kate Thomas was of 1,597 tons. She was built at Sunderland in 1885, and was owned by W. Thomas & Co., Liverpool.

HOOSIER REPUBLICANS TO HIT TARIFF BILL

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., April 4.—United States Senator Beveridge will sound the slogan of the Indiana Republican campaign in the State convention on Tuesday. Delegates who arrived here to-day declared that the platform has been unqualifiedly endorsed by the party in advance of Senator Beveridge it ignores the Payne-Aldrich tariff bill and indorses protection as a principle only.

MISS ROUNDY'S CASE UP ON WEDNESDAY

The hearing upon the taking of property of Miss Caroline Roundy of Warrenton street by the city to be used as part of a site for the administration service and school committee headquarters in the new High School of Commerce building will be held in the Mayor's office Wednesday afternoon.

TAFT NOMINATIONS.

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 4.—The President to-day sent to the Senate the following nominations: Assistant Justice of the United States Supreme Court of New Mexico, Samuel C. Abbott of New Mexico; United States marshals, M. B. Campbell, for the Eastern district of Michigan, and Charles P. Elliott, for the Northern district of California.

DICTIONARIES FREE CHELSEA RAG DEALER

They had a rag time in Chelsea District Court to-day. Max Yaffe, rag dealer, was discharged from court after it was established on authority of two dictionaries that a rag is not a rag till it's ragged.

Ragman Yaffe lives at No. 157 Auburn street. He was adjudged guilty last week of violation of the Chelsea ordinances which forbids anyone engaged in picking, sorting or storing rags from spreading the same in the open air within 200 feet of any building. This ordinance was the result of the Chelsea fire.

Yaffe was brought before Judge Albert Bosson to-day for sentence. But Maurice Carro, Yaffe's counsel, had been looking into the question of when is a rag not a rag. And he submitted to the court a brief in which he included these two dictionary definitions of a rag:

Century Dict.—"A torn, worn or formless fragment or shred of cloth; a comparatively worthless bit of any textile fabric either wholly or partly detached from its connection by violent abrasion."

Standard Dict.—"A piece, frayed or torn bit of garment."

Then the brief went on to show that the Yaffe "rags" were mere clippings of worsted cloth and serviceable for patching, and that they had been sold and handled as and statutes were to be interpreted strictly, that the decision of the millionaire may have been passed for the benefit of public health, that the piece of cloth in the present case did not come under the dictionary definitions of a rag. Yaffe was discharged.

The Chelsea Board of Control will probably pass a new ordinance which will cover any old rag, dictionary kind or otherwise.

Nearly everybody in Boston reads the AMERICAN.

TROLLEYMEN FIRM; STRIKE GOES ON

PHILADELPHIA, April 4.—The police to-day prepared for further trouble in the car-strike following the decision of the men to reject the latest offer of the company. The decision was made at a meeting which lasted all night. Peter J. Duffy, president of the striking local, declared that the strikers were determined to stay on strike till all their demands were accepted. The men demand their old runs and immediate reemployment.

KIDNEY PRESCRIPTION
One of the Best Known Cures for Kidneys, Liver or Bladder.

Nearly every one has their favorite remedy for various ills, but here is one that bents them all when it comes to trouble with the kidneys, bladder or liver. Mix together six ounces good pure gin, one-half ounce nurax compound, one-half ounce fluid extract of buchu. One to two teaspoonfuls of this mixture is a dose and should be taken three times a day after meals. It will quickly cure lame back, rheumatic pains in the joints, highly colored urine, scanty, frequent or burning urination, dizziness, pain in the head, which are well known signs of trouble in the kidneys and other urinary organs. Any good druggist can supply the above ingredients.

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HAMMERSTEIN GETS EVEN AT FINAL CONCERT

By FREDERICK JOHNS.

Oscar Hammerstein's troupe of opera singers left Boston last night after a concert at the Boston Theatre, and Oscar will never come back any more. Before he retired he got even with Boston for failing to patronize him by handing out to the Sunday evening audience a very generous platter of hash.

The theatre was about two-thirds filled by people who had read the advertised program, believed it and parted with from fifty cents to two dollars. Therefore there was some surprise when Manager Guard in frock coat and silk hat stepped before the footlights and made this announcement:

"I regret that we shall be obliged in this instance to make a change in our program. Mr. Hammerstein tried to live up to his promises but in this case it is impossible. It will be impossible for Madam Carmen Melis to appear as she is suffering from a bad cold. Sigh of sorrow from the audience.

"It will also be impossible for Madam Augusta Ioria to appear and for Madam Maraffi to appear because they also have bad colds."

Mr. Guard looked at the audience on high but nothing was thrown. There was a nod laugh at the excuse and a murmur of indignation. Mr. Guard again raised his hand. "Mr. Cervone has consented to sing twice and Mlle. Gerville Reache will also sing twice, and that's the best we can do."

He didn't offer to refund their money or make any break of that discription and at once left the stage. Then the concert went on.

Aside from the fact that the three most important singers on the bill were sick the concert was excellent one.

Gerville Harrold, the vaudeville singer discovered by Hammerstein and brought into grand opera was heard here for the first time. He looks not unlike Caruso and he is the possessor of a beautiful tenor voice of good quality throughout and high tones, which are wonderfully clear, ringing and thrilling.

Gilibert, Gerville Reache, Crabbe and Inez Joulowi were much appreciated and the orchestra under the baton of Jose Fuente in the 1812 Overture, created great enthusiasm.

"The AMERICAN has the evening home field in Boston exclusively."—Advertisers' Magazine.

FIRE WIPES OUT TOWN.

SCOTIA, Miss., April 4.—This town was practically wiped out by fire with a loss of $200,000.

TO-DAY'S CABLE NEWS
Up to Midnight. London Time

Women Astride Shock the British Smart Set.

LONDON—The exclusive set of the Essex Hunt is scandalized because Sir Claude Champion de Crespigny, as host of the day, introduced a woman's event in the steeplechase. This was an innovation, but when the excursions noted that four or five of the entrants intended to ride astride they raised a wild cry. The angry subscribers bombarded the committee with protests, and the event was struck from the program. Then the women became furious, threatening the ringleaders with actions for libel.

Woman as a Bull Fighter.

CARLOS—The police have just arrested a woman whose life is an extraordinary romance. Her name is Maria Magliocco, and she is a music hall singer by profession. After a vagabond existence she disguised herself in masculine attire and became a bandrilla in Spanish bull fights, throwing darts at the bulls. One day she was badly injured and had to seek other means of livelihood. She then became a lion tamer.

Mad Mullah Slays 800.

ADEN, Arabia—The ferocious campaign of Mohammed Abdullah of Somaliland, "the Mad Mullah," against the Sultanates under British protection, continues unchecked. Eight hundred of the tribesmen friendly to the Sultanates have been slaughtered, vast areas laid waste and towns razed.

Rev. Thomas Law Drowned.

LONDON—The Methodist and other free church communities have been shocked to learn that the Rev. Thomas Law, secretary of the National Free Church Council, has been found drowned a mile offshore at Brighton. He had been depressed by ill-health.

King Peter at Constantinople.

CONSTANTINIPLE—King Peter of Servia, accompanied by the Premier, Monsieur Pachitch and the Minister of Foreign Affairs, Monsieur Milovanovitch, arrived here. The King was greeted personally by the Sultan and proceeded to the palace.

Notable French Aero Flight.

SAVIGNY, France—The French aviator, Hubert Latham, won "The Review of Nature Prize," making a splendid cross-country flight to Ferte Sie. Aubin. This was a distance of almost sixty-eight miles and was covered in 1 hour and 50 minutes.

Catherine Helen Spence Dead.

ADELAIDE, South Australia—Catherine Helen Spence is dead here. She was born in 1825.

LATEST FROM THE FRONT! BIG BUG WAR IS ON

The biggest bug war is on that Massachusetts ever knew.

The war is between 1,000,000 Japanese parasites called "scheelins" and the pesky gipsy and brown-tail moths.

The scheelins is the latest bug scrapper imported from Japan by the entomological laboratory at Washington for the Massachusetts Gypsy Moth Commission. He will fight any other bug at the drop of the hat, but gypsy and brown-tail moths are his particular prey. He literally "eats 'em alive."

Another fine thing about the scheelin from a millionaire standpoint is the economical way in which the little beggar reproduces himself. He multiplies amazingly. He has any fighting entomologist looking like a fool when it comes to multiplying.

The first lot of scheelins that was imported did not get a fair start. All died in transportation. Superintendent W. F. Fiske of the bug laboratory at Melrose Highlands was terribly disappointed at the demise of the little Japanese allies. But the Washington bureau was for another batch. Nineteen bugs came in the second lot and they lived and found at the Melrose Highlands laboratory.

No Race Suicide Here.

There they were given the best of attention in a warm, sunlight room, with moist sand and cold water, elevator service and all other comforts that a good fighting bug could wish for.

And how those scheelins or scheelin rustled! Within a few days they had multiplied and to telling his busy grandbug how he used to live in a cocoon over bugs in the land of Japan.

Anyhow, these nineteen scheelins (or scheelin) have now increased to 2,000,000 and it is now believed that they will clean up one of the five suspects who have been around the police are silent.

Meanwhile residential Springfield has turned itself, the stocks of hardware and sporting goods stores have been almost depleted of revolvers and cartridges.

Residents Are Arming.

Householders who fear a return of the murderous intruder have determined to be ready for him, and the purchasers of firearms in most instances have insisted upon getting only reliable weapons of the latest models.

The theory that the shooting of Miss Blackstone was done by a well-known resident of means with a peculiar turn of mind has been abandoned. The father of the young man suspected has scouted the idea that there was no ground for the suspicion, and their efforts have been turned in other directions.

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FINGER PRINTS FOUND ON CHAIR ONLY CLEW AS TO TEACHER'S SLAYER

The hounds shown in the picture lost the trail to run down the Springfield slayer at every attempt, and so completely has the murderer covered his tracks that they had to be taken out of the man-hunt to-day.

SPRINGFIELD, April 4.—Finger prints on the back of a chair in the home of Miss Harriet B. Dow are the only means yet secured of proving the guilt of the man who shot and killed Miss Martha B. Blackstone while posing as a burglar. There are three of these prints and they were photographed to-day in the hope that they may be serviceable in bringing to justice the perpetrator of the crime.

All other clews have been found misleading. One indicates that the slayer made his way by trolley to the Connecticut line and escaped into that State. Another goes to show that he was a tramp who came down the West on a freight train and left the city in the same way bound East. Until he is in custody no credence will be given to any of the five suspects who have been arrested by the police are silent.

Meanwhile residential Springfield has turned itself, the stocks of hardware and sporting goods stores have been almost depleted of revolvers and cartridges.

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REALTY MEN TALK TUNNEL AT BANQUET

A big meeting of members of the Massachusetts Real Estate Exchange was held this noon at a luncheon under the auspices of the Exchange at the City Club. The object of the meeting was to arrange details for the trip to New York city which the members will make on April 15, and which had its initiative in the proposed tunnel between the North and South Stations. President John J. Martin advised the members that the question also thought, and he a benefit to the Boston Real Estate Exchange would be one of the first to approve the plan, but if the building of the proposed tunnel would tend to make a way station out of Boston it would oppose it the more vigorously. He said this would be one of the objects of the trip to New York and to find out why a side way was not built from the Grand Central station in New York at Forty-second street to the new depot of the Pennsylvania Railroad.

President Martin urged the brokers to do all in their power to build up the organization and declared that by a little lukewarm work the organization could be easily increased to a membership of 1,000. He said that a special committee of the exchange is to be appointed to take up the matter of bringing new manufacturing industries to Boston and the State. It was stated at the meeting that the membership of members to go on the New York excursion will be limited to 125.

SAYS OUR WOMEN DON'T NEED BALLOT

NEW YORK, April 4.—Amelia Bingham, the actress, returned from England on the Kaiserin Augusta Victoria to-day. She was full of sympathy for the cause of votes for women in England, but not very strong for the cause in this country. "If I had the vote," she said, "I doubt if I would use it. Women here do not need it. They have the best of husbands, fathers and brothers to vote for them. But in England, where there is a law for the woman and a law for the man, the vote for women is needed. In England a man may sin a half dozen times and beat his wife almost to death and when she sues for divorce have her sent jail."

THIEVES FRIGHTENED FROM NEWTON HOME

Thieves entered the home of C. P. Kelly of No. 28 Bowdoin street, Newton Highlands, last night, while the family were away, but were frightened away by the return of a maid. Nothing was stolen, this makes the third break within a few weeks that has occurred in this fashionable portion of the city, and in the previous breaks the thieves took only jewelry.

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ETNA SPREADS NEW TERROR

CANTANIA, Sicily, April 4.—Renewed lava streams to-day threaten two villages on the slope of Mt. Etna, hitherto believed safe—Precenda and Nicolosi. The inhabitants have been driven from the towns, joining the general exodus before the advancing lava. The intensity of the eruption appears to be increasing to the maximum once more. Borello is threatened with a new stream of lava, deflected from the main river. It was reported from there to-day to be twenty-five feet high and 150 feet wide and advancing rapidly.

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PLAN RETREAT FOR TOILERS

An all-the-year round recreation home for working people is the latest move by Meyer Bloomfield, the North End reformer and worker. Plans are under way for a seaside cottage near the city where tired-out wage-earners may recuperate, for a few days or a week at the cost of 75 cents a day.

"Make the country accessible all the year round," says Meyer Bloomfield. "If a small wage-earner can't go to Revere during the fall, winter or Spring months, there is generally no place open to him or her to recuperate. But if a home could be opened near the city would be a wonderful boon and there would be a gain in conditions which would be remarkable.

Friends of Bloomfield's new project are determined to start the thing at once. They plan to make the cost the least possible, not more than seventy-five cents a day for food, and a chance to rest and get plenty of fresh air.

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1.25 SHORT KIMONOS: of lawn: many different light and dark patterns, fitted at waist
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LOTION

WOMEN AT RUSSELL HEARING CHEER FIRST CLAIMANT TO ESTATE

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reasonable cause for his departure has been shown. If, among the causes, it can be conceived that he had a lofty spirit to be independent and make him own way in the world for himself and return at a later day successful, that might be considered; but that a man twenty-three or twenty-five years of age should leave home, having no cause—would he be apt to return in the way this petitioner has? That is one of the things that made it impossible for Levi Gould to believe that the petitioner was genuine.

Sees Contrast in Tastes.

"That same lofty spirit which made him leave home would never allow him to return and apply for what he had surrendered years ago. On all the evidence it is clear that Daniel Blake Russell at the age of twenty-three was a person of refinement, gentle manners, artistic in taste and somewhat delicate in health, also with a good education.

"We find the petitioner, meanwhile, on the evidence, a tramp, a woodsman, a woodpecker, a ranchman, a steamboat employe, a blacksmith, a circus man, and during the active of these developed into a robust, muscular man far beyond the average in strength and self-assertion.

"All these changes, if we are to believe them, have been wrought in the fine delicate person of Daniel Blake Russell during a period of twenty-five years and after a severe illness in manhood. If Daniel Blake had been successful, it would not have cost any reason to exercise the desire to return home. Can we conceive of any reason except the failure to find those with whom he was connected by blood and declare himself, declare his identity? Can it be conceived that there was no reason than that would be followed by the claim that he was genuine? That is what the genuine Daniel Blake Russell would do. The false Daniel Blake Russell would, in addition, if he hadn't means to get home, it would not be difficult to find them.

Calls Method Unnatural.

"Has the petitioner here taken any such course? We find the petitioner an energetic, prosperous gentleman with land and cattle at his disposal, resolving to return to his family in Melrose and in place of legal assistance from professional gentlemen.

"This claimant seeks the assistance of strangers until the last year, although he resolved to return many times he never succeeded in getting by Malden, although he had hundreds of dollars in his pocket. He gradually seeks to get his family, finally sees a paper with reference to the Russell estate and the first time he was advised of his rights. Then he came over the line to Canada, and the claimant heard of the Russell estate from this same Frank Morton. Morton knew Melrose and the Russell family, all of the people who were there in Dickinson, and this adventurer met the petitioner.

"Mr. Morton says himself that he was almost penniless at that time and he was fit for the enterprise. He was ready to get money anyhow and at any place that he could. The petitioner visited him and he agreed on receiving a share of the Russell estate. And then the petitioner got a letter about the Russell family, the people and the place of birth.

Says Morton Gave Aid.

"Of all men, Morton could give the satisfactory results. Morton's words could not have been planted in more fertile soil than they were there. One man was receptive, while the other was overflowing with the knowledge of fact. Morton was resort to such measures.

"It asked the petitioner on the stand to name the street on which he lived prior to his leaving home. Although he has been in hospitals from time to time, he could not state that he had ever been ill with any disease that would affect any mental capacity. But it has come over me that this petitioner could not be in his right mind. The assistance supplied in Frank Morton, as well as the lawyer and Frank Morton met Whitmore, the assistant of Lawyer Frazier. Then they all met together.

"An agreement was entered into in which Frank Morton was to get one-third of the Russell estate. Morton met the petitioner and Whitmore. Whitmore, calling to oil friends of the original Daniel Blake Russell, went to work on it in order to try to convert William Spinney, an old employe of the Russell estate, to the belief that this was the real Daniel Blake Russell.

"We both recall the testimony of Robert Norman Twist on the stand; his manner of testifying. You saw the man with his loose jointed speech and unlarity to words. Think of the impression that Robert Norman Twist must have presented as he appeared to that unfortunate old gentleman who was and over sensitive man, the real Daniel Blake Russell. Twist was the man who met Dan Russell on the railroad and the very next day this same shy, sensitive young man confided in this same Robert Norman Twist and told him the story of his life, and he wanted to be called Daniel Blake.

Original Was Refined.

If this man were the real Daniel Blake Russell, that admittedly shy and refined young man, would he have left his home and friends and his sweetheart just because his father would not pay him the money which he had asked for? Would Robert Twist did not see the same Daniel Blake Russell which William C. Russell and Bertha Yorke saw on the day in which the real Daniel Blake Russell left his home. The petitioner was where the real Daniel Blake Russell was not on that day, and for his case must fail.

"We remember the testimony of this man Twist, who said that when he and Dan arrived in Gloucester they went down on the planks of the dock all night; that they had their meals on the planks of the dock and that Dan had money in his pocket. Does it seem that Daniel Blake Russell, a shy, sensitive delicate youth, a member of a Sunday school class in Melrose, would stay on a dock or eat meals on the dump, all the while having money in his pocket, and also at the time he was receiving apples from a farmer and paid the crime of stealing? Does that seem to you to think this court room a nursery? What a silly tale!

Calls Act Brutal.

"The petitioner testified that he did not sleep on wharves but in a lodging place. Does it seem to your honor that a young man, such as the genuine Daniel Blake Russell must have been, would become so degenerate in such a short time? Again at St. Albans on July 4th he went so far that they captured a dog and turned a half pail of alcohol down his throat. They were much amused at the dog's agony. The dog was intensely suffering from a burning throat and a burning stomach. Could a man who once had the guidance of such a beautiful mother descend to such brutality?

"Again at Ogdensburg, according to the testimony of 'Bob' Twist, they put up in a lodging house and met a number of lodgers. This must have grated upon the genuine Daniel Blake Russell. What a change in taste for the genuine Daniel Blake Russell. Bob Twist concludes by saying that he said the petitioner the names of 'Boston Dan' and 'Russell Sage,' because he was bragging all the time of his people's wealth. Does Your Honor think that town was the genuine Daniel Blake Russell?

Daniel Blake Russell No. 1 reached the courthouse shortly before court opened, and was surrounded by his friends, who assured him of their allegiance. He was accompanied by his wife and by Mrs. Adelaide Coombs, a sister of Edward Preuss, who identified "Russell No. 1" as the rightful co heir to the property.

Claimant No. 1 Confident.

"There are a great many who believe I am the real Daniel," said claimant No. 1 to-day, "and there are a great many who believe that I am an impostor. Before this case goes much further they will all be on my side.

Lawyers Cartwright and Odlin, attorneys for Fresno Dan, reached the courthouse at 9:30 o'clock. Dan was not with them. They said that he would not be in court.

Miss Jane Bertha Yorke, who knew Daniel Blake Russell well in Melrose when he was a boy, and who is firm in her belief that claimant No. 1 is the genuine heir, was one of the first to reach the court house to-day. Miss Keith said:

"There is quite as many Daniel Blake Russells as they wish to Boston, but there is but one real one, and that is the first Daniel Blake Russell to appear on the scene. He is the man who has been in the East Cambridge court room for the past six months attempting to establish his identity.

"I know him, and his other friends know him. I knew him when he was a boy, and although we were not together as young people I saw a great deal of him. During all these twenty-five years that he has been missing his face has been before me. The dear day that I saw him it took only a few moments for me to see in his features those that I knew in the boy Dan.

"I have studied with great care the face of the new claimant from a photograph, and I believe that it is all one of the real Dan it is. I have yet to find one expression in the features of the new claimant that brings to me recollections of the Dan that I knew years ago. Everything is different.

Accompanying Miss Keith were Miss Mary Russell and her father, Henry Lovejoy. Miss Emma Marsh and Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Bullard. The party of Daniel No. 1's partisans took the first trolley car from Melrose to the East Cambridge court house, could get this morning. They got there about 7 o'clock.

When the doors for got there to open up the big building he found the Melrose people camped on the steps, eating their breakfasts, which they had brought with them.

Soon after this the crowd began to gather, and soon others arrived from Melrose and took their place in the lengthening line. By 9 o'clock the line had stretched from the entrance to the courtroom out through the corridor to the street. Russell No. 1 being on Cambridge street, and when court opened the crowd had been swelled to more than 500.

SEEK INTERVIEW WITH CLAIMANT THEY CALL COLE

The four Boston men who believe that the man from Fresno, Cal., who claims to be the real Daniel Blake Russell is none other than William Cole, formerly of Dover, N. H., will not have an opportunity to question him to-day. Fred L. Morey of Everett, Attorney Edward Everett Brown, Attorney Elisha Greenhood and Colonel Frank Stevens of Boston think that in the photographs of the Fresno man they can recognize Cole.

Edward A. Rogean, a florist of No. 3 Park street, is also interested in the case, as he thinks he met the Fresno man in New York some time ago. J. Intvelde, a New York printer, says that the picture of the Fresno man is to him that of a man whom he knew as a private detective in Cleveland, Ohio.

It was soon after the publication of the photograph of the actions of the man and the stories I heard of his personality which make me think he is William Cole," said Mr. Morey to-day. Cole at one time a tailor in Dover, N. H., and I think that Mr. Morey to-day. Cole got mixed up in this case at all. I have told my story to Attorney Greenhood and he

Attorney Greenhood said that the likeness between the two men was remarkable. Attorney Brown and Colonel Stevens also agreed with the theory. These four men all come to this conclusion without a conference, and each one is positive that the other men had the same idea.

Mr. Rogean has told Attorney Sheldon that he met a man in New York sometime ago who he thinks is the new claimant.

Mr. Intvelde came to his conclusion when the first picture appeared in the newspaper was published in Boston. "This man looks to me exactly like a man whom I knew in Cleveland, Ohio," he said. "This man was a private detective."

TAX ASSESSMENT CHANGE ADVOCATED

Chairman Sullivan of the Boston Finance Commission argued before the legislative Committee on Taxation in executive session to-day for several recommendations of the commission, having to do with the assessment and collection of taxes. Mr. Sullivan favored three recommendations: That the law requiring that assistant assessors be appointed equally from the two political parties be repealed, that the police list of residents of Boston be used in assessing polls, that persons seeking an abatement of their taxes appear before the Judge for a poll tax paid in another city or town.

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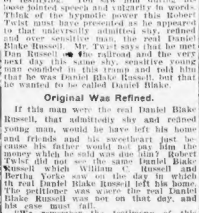

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IMPORTANT REALTY DEALS ANNOUNCED

Many important sales were announced in the realty field to-day, these including several parcels in the city proper, one being the property at No. 456 Tremont street, corner of Nos. 89-91 Compton street and extending through to Albion street, South End, which has been sold by James J. Grace et al. to Charles F. Hackett. There are three frame buildings and the land has a frontage of 61 feet on Tremont street and 62 feet on Compton street. The consideration mentioned in the deed is $20,000, of which $18,800 is on the land.

At the same district the two and one-half story brick house and 982 square feet of land at No. 44 Village street, corner of Isham street and opened on Lamartine street, has been sold by Hannah Blackman to Mary Ann Cook, the consideration being $2,500.

Joseph M. Hicks, trustee, has sold to Harris Blackman the three-story brick building and 600 square feet of land, taxed for $2,500 at Nos. 23 East Lenox street, extending through to McLellan street, and Reed street, South End. The land is assessed for $600.

Another South End property sold is that at No. 17 Kirkland street, near Pleasant street, which has been purchased by Charles H. Tuttle from Mary Jane H. Greenhood. It is all taxed for $2,100, of which the land is $1,700. The 526 square feet of land included in the parcel. There is also a two and one-half story building on the land.

The files of the Boston Real Estate Exchange show a marked increase in all transactions in Suffolk county the past week over those of the corresponding week of last year and 1908. The following table, compiled by the exchange, shows the entries of record for the week at the registry of deeds:

	1910	1909	1908
No. of transfers	305	326	403
No. of mortgages	208	225	248
Amt. of sundries	$1,549,705	$802,561	$975,918

The appended table, also compiled by the Real Estate Exchange, gives in detail the sales and transactions for the week beginning March 28 and ending April 2:

Date.	Sales.	Mtgs.	Amt. of Mtgs.
March 28	52	41	$ 93,400
March 29	58	43	158,900
March 30	55	34	135,800
March 31	49	43	145,900
April 1	66	26	207,600
April 2	25	21	107,400
Total	305	209	$1,449,995

In Dorchester the property at No. 26 Dorset street, with the two and one-half story brick dwelling and 2,941 square feet of land, and all taxed for $4,000, has been sold by Emma B. Leard to Guy S. Ban. The land is taxed for $1,100.

Clara L. Bullard has sold to Frank B. Griffin et al. the frame house and 4,550 square feet of land at No. 1 Cedar street, Cedar Square, Dorchester. It is all assessed for $1,500, of which $1,100 is on the land.

Paid In Jennings has sold to Florence M. Beatty et al. the two and one-half story house at 10 Hillsdale street, Dorchester, containing 18,200 square feet of land, taxed at $1,600.

"Roosevelt Emerging from the Jungle."

A splendid copyrighted colored gravure, a pictorial masterpiece all ready for framing, will be given AFree with every copy of NEXT SUNDAY'S BOSTON SUNDAY AMERICAN. Ask your newsdealer in advance to be sure to hold you a copy of

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ASK TUTTLE FOR BETTER SERVICE

Business men of Boston and vicinity, and of the Merrimack Valley, will meet President Lucius Tuttle of the Boston and Maine at the Boston Chamber of Commerce in an effort to obtain better shipping facilities. The meeting for the meeting of business and railroad interests was started by the Lowell Board of Trade and the conference was arranged through the efforts of Secretary John A. McKenna of the Lowell body.

STEAMER GROUNDS IN PLYMOUTH HARBOR

PLYMOUTH, Mass., April 4.—The steamer Rochester is on the rocks around Gurnet light. It is feared she is a total wreck.

SANG TO PRISONERS.

At the services at the State Prison chapel at Charlestown, A. Crabbe, a member of the Boston Opera Company, rendered two beautiful selections. More than four hundred inmates attended.

Out-of-the-Way News Facts by Wire

FROGS PUT OUT A FIRE.

GREENWICH, Ct., April 4.—There wasn't any water to-day to put out fire in the farmhouse of Lawrence Belinda. "Only pool I can find," a fireman told the chief, "is great colony of frogs—about five hundred gallons of 'peepers' and two hundred gallons of water." "All right," replied the chief, "bump the peepers!" The orders were followed, and in a few minutes it began to rain frogs. They proved to be great fire extinguishers.

KILLED BY $12,000 CHECK.

POUGHKEEPSIE, April 4.—Martha A. Gardener died at Stuyvesant on receiving a check for $12,000, the purchase price of her farm on which she had always lived. Her death was caused by heart disease aggravated by the excitement attending the closing of the deal.

ALL NATURE-FAKERS BARRED.

WASHINGTON, April 4.—Washington society's newest fad is a story-telling club. Meeting Longworth, the former Alice Roosevelt, is one of the prime movers. With officers or directors, the club will rather at the residences of members and hold "talk fests."

METEOR SETS FIRE TO BARN.

DOVER, N. J., April 4.—A crowd of citizens poked in gingerly fashion among the charred ruins of the stable back of Fleming's Hotel here to-day for a meteor which set the building afire. The meteor plunged out of the sky and plowed straight through the building from roof to floor.

AGE OF EGGS ON MENUS.

SACRAMENTO, April 4.—Hotels, restaurants and boarding houses serving eggs must answer their customers of the age of the egg, and the menu card must be made to tell the story. This is the decision of the State Board of Health to-day.

BOY SURVIVED BY ALLIGATORS.

PALMETTO, La., April 4.—The body of Ernest Johnson was found in the top most branches of a tree in Gish Bayou swamp. The youth took refuge from alligators in the tree and starved to death. A note found in his hat told the story of his death.

RESCUE BIRDS ENTOMBED ALIVE.

NEW YORK, A colony of sparrows has been walled up in the addition to the Elks' Home in Orange, N. J., now near completion, and men went to work to-day to rescue the feathered prisoners. One estimate puts the number of birds at 223.

TODAY'S STOCK MARKETS; FINANCIAL NEWS

STATE ST. NEWS FOR INVESTORS

The week has been one of waiting and anticipation, with the professionals doing about as they pleased with the stock market.

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It is idle to deny that the stock market has lost much of its vitality in the last few months, but this does not mean that it is an impossibility to regain it.

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About the only buying going on now is by the commission houses, and this is the desire to accumulate good lines in an easy going way. It is only natural to suppose that these people do not care for an advance just yet, as it would interfere with their little programme.

$ $ $

The bears become aggressive every now and then, but it is not on a scale that would attract attention as a usual thing. The sensational movements in the manipulation of the shorts into bold relief and under a more conspicuous than is warranted by the facts.

$ $ $

But organized capital is tired of the mystery and the doubt of what is legal, and it wants to know the terms of employment before it goes to work again.

$ $ $

Never before in the history of the world did money change hands so fast on a Supreme Court decision. The millions in the Standard Oil Trust found their way in a minute part of the property to be affected by the dissolution decree, and the financial and stock scores of the greatest business men of the world have practically been settled in the course of a week, and all the energy for the strenuous days that must follow has been expended in the work of the parting of the ways, and a great multitude of people are in a state of terrible confusion as to what is what.

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Trade reports are mixed and might be better or much worse. The steel trade is doing fairly well without gaining any ground. The coal business is not in good shape at all. There is plenty of fuel and still all round, but the dry goods business is still spiritless and disappointing. It is one of the ironies of events that the cotton and woolen manufacturers, who expected the largest share of the benefit of last year's farcical tariff peddlers, have been doing poor business of late.

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After a period of six weeks the gold export movement has been resumed. There is also under way at the present time a movement of French gold, and likewise that of New York to China. This gold is being specially imported for the purpose, thereby relieving the strain, and does not represent an actual loss of cash to the local banks. The Treasury Department announces that these shipments of gold coin to Cuba and the Philippines will not interfere with the movement of the metal to Argentine.

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In spite of all the good words said for Chesapeake & Ohio and the understanding that the dividend will be increased to 5 per cent. at the next meeting, there was considerable selling of the security by local traders. The fact is that there is considerable of the system is brought about it may not be possible to increase the dividend after all. Traders are buying very confidently.

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What the immediate future of Southern Pacific is to be no one is willing to predict, but all reports continue to be favorable, and the property is considered to be prosperous. Even President Guggenheim of the Copper group is said to have been somewhat very good buying of the issue on the open market. Calling attention to rumors, who believe it will have a fine rise.

$ $ $

A. E. Cox has been elected assistant treasurer of the St. Mary's Mineral Land Company. Mr. Cox is also assistant treasurer of the Houghton Copper company.

$ $ $

The Franklin stock which the St. Mary's Mineral Land Company is distributed through the American Trust company.

$ $ $

Boylston Street Land Company trustees have decided to levy an assessment of 50 cents per share, payable on or before April 11, to provide for interest, taxes and other expenses.

$ $ $

Although the second instalment of the $2 per share levied on the stock of the Winona copper company was paid only on the first day, a number of days after payment of another dollar will be called upon this assessment. It is said that the remaining $1 will probably be called in the last one on this stock. There are 1,000,000 shares.

Almost everybody in Boston reads the AMERICAN.

CHEAPER BUTTER IS NOW THE PROMISE

NEW YORK, April 4.—It is predicted in the wholesale butter market of New York that as a result of the cold storage stock being released from 11 to 5 cents a pound evaporation will soon be built along the Canadian border. The opposite side of the butter on the New York market will be made by Canadian cream in American creameries.

100% a Year
"Too big," you say?
Well, it is below the probabilities and very much below the possibilities. $43,340,000 in gold has been produced in seven years within a radius of ten miles. Associates have 800 acres new ground 4½ miles long in the heart of this territory. The tract of ground next adjoining has already produced $9,000,000. This tract of 800 acres is expected to produce $4,000,000 to $8,000,000, and may produce over $9,000,000, while only $1,000,000 will pay investors 100% annually for at least five years. A small block of this stock is offered at par and will be delivered to first cash orders received in amounts from $100 up. All orders subject to prior sale. Call or write and let me show you my reasons for the statements. You will then call them conservative. GEO. H. HALE, 161 Devonshire St., Boston, Mass.

STOCK MARKET DULL, UNEASY

NEW YORK, April 4.—In expectation of a decision by the Supreme Court in the American Tobacco case, price changes in the stock market during the early trading to-day were trifle. At the opening quotations were a trifle higher. Following this, however, there was a selling movement which caused a decline of nearly a point in most active issues.

At the end of the first half hour of trading a rally occurred and quotations advanced to a level slightly above Saturday's closing.

Business was on a light scale. Special reporters stationed at the capital in Washington returned early in the session that it was expected that the court would adjourn immediately for at least one day in memory of the late Justice Brewer.

As the court was not scheduled to assemble until 12 o'clock the first two hours were uneasy ones for Wall street. Even the curb market was dull, trading in stocks there was at a minimum with change in prices. American shares were neglected on London, although a trifle higher. The boom in rubber shares continued.

NEW YORK STOCKS.

Following is the range of prices to noon for the leading New York stocks:

RAILROADS.

	High.	Low.	Noon.
Atch. & S. F.	97⅞	97⅛	97⅛
Balt. & Ohio	110⅞	110⅞	110⅞
Can. Pacific	247	246½	246½
Chesapeake & Ohio	72	71½	71½
Chi., Mil. & St. P.	181½	181½	181½
Chi., R. I. & Pac.	28	27⅞	27⅞
Chic. M. & St. P.	140⅝	140⅛	140⅝
Chi. & N. W.	150½	150½	150½
Erie	29⅝	29⅜	29⅝
Erie 1st pf.	43¾	43½	43¾
Illinois Central	138½	138½	138½
Louisville & Nash.	144	143½	143½
Int. Met. pref.	57	57	57
Mex. Nat. & Tex.	40⅝	40⅜	40⅝
Mo., K. & Tex.	34⅝	34⅜	34⅝
N. Y. Cent. & W.	115⅜	115	115⅜
N. Y., N. H. & H.	145	145	145
Northern Pacific	133⅝	133½	133⅝
Pennsylvania	130⅜	130⅛	130⅜
Reading	164⅛	163¾	164⅛
Rock Island	29⅛	28⅞	29⅛
Southern Pac.	124⅜	123⅞	124⅜
Southern Ry.	31⅝	31⅜	31⅝
Texas & Pac.	31⅜	31⅛	31⅜
Union Pacific	184⅜	183⅝	184⅜
Wabash pf.	46	45⅝	45⅝

INDUSTRIALS AND MISCELLANEOUS.

Amal. Copper	73⅝	73	73
Am. Car & Fdy.	62⅝	62½	62½
Am. Ice Secur.	28½	28½	28½
Am. Smelting	62⅞	62⅝	62⅝
Am. Sug. Ref.	122⅜	122⅛	122⅜
Am. Tel. & Tel.	135⅝	134⅝	135⅛
Am. Tobacco	95.00	95.00	95.00
Col. Fuel & Iron	39¼	39¼	39¼
Gen. Electric	141	140½	140½
Cent. Leather	40⅞	40⅞	40⅞
Northern Pac.	106⅛	106⅛	106⅛
Pressed Steel Car.	41¼	41⅛	41¼
Rep. I. & S.	31⅝	31⅜	31⅝
U. S. Steel pf.	119½	119½	119½
Utah Copper	44⅛	44⅛	44⅛
U. S. Rubber	34⅝	34⅜	34⅝
West. El. & Mfg.	64½	64¼	64¼

THE WORKHORSE PARADE.

The Lawrence gold medal which is awarded to the best draft horse team is expected to bring out this year the best exhibit of these teams ever seen in the annual workhorse parade. Heretofore winners of the medal in former years have been excluded from the competition, but in 1910 the medal will be thrown open to all comers, and it is believed that although a very striking one. The buckeye class this year will be larger than ever before, and the number of the prizes will be increased accordingly.

Heard at the Symphony Concert.

"I must be a big strain on a man's strength to conduct such a work as that Wagnerward symphony of Hamburger's."

Indeed, it must. Herr Conductor looks as though a refreshing stein of P. B. Lager wouldn't go amiss this very moment.

NEW YORK, March 18, 1910.
TO THE HOLDERS OF
Republic Iron & Steel Co.
First Mortgage Five Per Cent. Bonds:
The Republic Iron & Steel Company has authorized an issue of $25,000,000 10-30 Year Five Per Cent. Sinking Fund Mortgage Gold Bonds, whereof $15,000,000 bonds are reserved for future issue subject to the restrictions set forth in the Mortgage and bonds up to $10,000,000 are now to be issued for the purpose of taking up its First Mortgage Bonds, which this Company has agreed to call for payment on October 1, 1914, and for other corporate purposes. On or before October 1, 1914, the new Mortgage will therefore become a First Mortgage on all of the property of the Company.
The earnings of the Company for the past four and one-half years have averaged nearly six times the amount of the annual interest on the $10,000,000 bonds; at no time within these years have they amounted to less than four times the amount of said interest. The total value of our mineral reserves, fixed assets and quick assets is estimated at over $78,000,000 or nearly eight times the amount of our present bond issue.
The bonds carry a minimum Sinking Fund, payable in cash or bonds at par, of 2½ per cent. per annum on $10,000,000 bonds and on all further bonds issued; to be increased whenever annual extraction of minerals exceeds amount specified in mortgage.
The Republic Iron & Steel Company hereby offers to the holders of its Five Mortgage Bonds to purchase their bonds at 105 and accrued interest in cash, and has also arranged with Messrs. Hallgarten & Co. and J. & W. Seligman & Co., that such bondholders as may desire to do so, shall have the privilege of taking in exchange the new bonds par for par and cash for the premium.
This offer may be withdrawn at any time without notice.
The coupons due April 1, 1910, of the First Mortgage 5% Bonds will be paid at the office of Hallgarten & Co., 5 Nassau Street, New York.
REPUBLIC IRON & STEEL COMPANY,
By JNO. A. TOPPING, Chairman.

New York, March 18, 1910.
Referring to the above notice of the Republic Iron & Steel Company, the undersigned give notice that they are prepared to receive Republic Iron & Steel Company First Mortgage Five Per Cent. Bonds (ex. April 1, 1910, coupon), and to deliver in exchange therefor, par for par, new 10-30 Year Five Per Cent. Sinking Fund Mortgage Gold Bonds (bearing October 1, 1910, and subsequent coupons), together with $50 in cash in respect of each $1,000 bond so delivered.
Copies of a letter of the Chairman of the Company, giving full information in regard to the above issue of bonds, may be had on application.
We recommend these bonds as a safe and conservative investment.
Temporary bonds are now ready for delivery.
This offer may be withdrawn at any time without notice.
HALLGARTEN & Co., No. 5 Nassau Street, New York.
J. & W. SELIGMAN & CO., No. 1 William Street, New York.

ROOSEVELT'S OWN STORY OF WHY VISIT TO VATICAN WAS CANCELLED

EXPLANATION CABLED TO LYMAN ABBOTT FOR PUBLICATION IN AMERICA.

BY THEODORE ROOSEVELT.

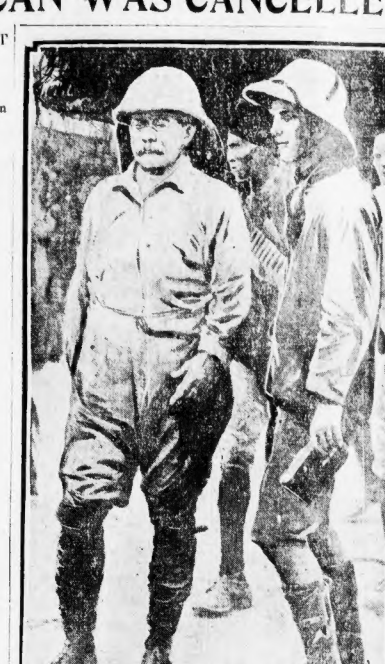
Cabled statement to Rev. Dr. Lyman Abbott regarding the Vatican incident.

ROME, April 4.—"I wish to make a statement to my fellow Americans regarding what has occurred in connection with the Vatican. I am sure the great majority of my fellow citizens, Catholics as much as Protestants, will feel I acted in the only way possible for an American to act, and because of the very fact I earnestly hope the incident will be treated in a matter-of-course way as merely personal, and, above all, as not warranting the slightest exhibition of rancor or bitterness.

Among my best and closest friends are many Catholics. The respect and regard of those of my fellow Americans who are Catholics are as dear to me as the respect and regard of those who are Protestants. On my journey through Africa I visited many Catholic as well as Protestant missions. As I look forward to telling the people at home all that has been done by Protestants and Catholics alike, as I saw it, in the field of missionary endeavor, it would cause me a real pang to have anything said or done that would hurt or give pain to my friends, whatever their religious belief. But any merely personal considerations are of no consequence in this matter. The important consideration is the avoidance of harsh and bitter comment such as may excite mistrust and anger between and among good men.

"The more an American sees of other countries the more profound must be his feeling of gratitude that in his own land there is not merely complete toleration, but the heartiest good will and sympathy between sincere and honest men of different faiths—good will and sympathy so complete that in the innumerable daily relations of our American life Catholics and Protestants meet together and work together without thought of the difference of creed being even present in their minds.

"This is a condition so vital to our national well-being that nothing should be permitted to jeopardize it. Bitter comment and criticism, acrimonious attack and defence, are not only profitless, but harmful and to seize upon such an incident as this as an occasion for controversy would be wholly indefensible and should be frowned upon by Catholics and Protestants alike, and all good Americans."



Jungle Picture of Theodore Roosevelt and Son Kermit. Copyrighted by Brown Brothers.

ROOSEVELT PAYS VISIT TO THE KING

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hemmed in by troopers, waited patiently till 11:20, when Mr. Roosevelt left the Quirinal, to renewed cheering, motored to the Pantheon. The director of the Fine Arts department acted as his guide, leading him to the tombs of Humbert and Victor, which he decorated.

There Mr. Roosevelt posed for pictures while the crowd, even larger than that which had gathered about the Quirinal or at the hotel, applauded him madly.

At 1 o'clock Mr. Roosevelt was the guest of Ambassador J. G. A. Leishman at an embassy luncheon. The visit of Ambassador Leishman to Naples to greet Mr. Roosevelt is now explained by the Vatican incident, although the trip of Ambassador Strauss from Constantinople to Cairo still remains much of a mystery.

Great Crowds Gather.

Large bouquets of flowers filled the rooms of the Roosevelts to-day. Some had come directly from the gardens of the Quirinal, accompanying the invitation of Queen Helena to Mrs. Roosevelt for an audience this afternoon. The Roosevelts were told in advance that the dinner which the royal family this evening would not be made a function of pure formality.

Mr. Roosevelt was accompanied on his visit to the Quirinal by Commander Long, naval attache of the American embassy here, and the eminent historian, Mr. Garrett.

Before the Hotel Reau Sejour, where the Roosevelt party is staying, crowds gathered early, and at the first appearance of the former President broke into cheering. From the time the party left by auto for the palace till they arrived and were received by General Brusati, aide to the King, Mr. Roosevelt had but a minute in which he was not given an ovation by the curious and enthusiastic crowds on the streets.

The break between Mr. Roosevelt and the Vatican has produced a sensation in Italy which has not had its equal in years. The furor aroused has quite overshadowed the other plans arranged for the entertainment of the former President and his party.

Radicals Are Pleased.

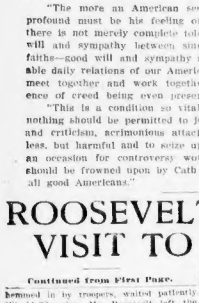
Mr. Roosevelt's refusal to meet the Pope has put him in high favor with the radical element of the populace at all events, and it was reported to-day that the anticlerical forces were planning to make a demonstration either while he is here or at the time of his departure. The government, however, immediately on receipt of this rumor took steps to checkmate any such intention.

It was strongly intimated to the leaders of the radical parties that no demonstration will be permitted. At the same time, the safeguards thrown about the distinguished visitor have been increased, for fear of a fanatical attack. In some quarters feeling against Mr. Roosevelt, in spite of the diplomacy of the Vatican, is high. The supporters of the monarchy in the dispute between Quirinal and the Vatican are much pleased with the situation. To-day Theodore Roosevelt bids fair to become as prominent a factor in the internal affairs of Italy as he did in Egypt.

The crowds that awaited him to-day and followed him through the streets were decidedly sympathetic. Rome might be an American city, as far as one could judge by the flags displayed. On every hand the stars and stripes hung side by side with the Italian colors and dozens of small American flags add to the picturesqueness of the crowds.

It was noticeable, however, the flags displayed at some residences yesterday did not appear to-day. On the appearance of Mr. Roosevelt and Kermit to-day when they started for the Quirinal, the policy had differed in forcing a path through the crowds about the hotel.

LAME BACK
Rheumatic Pains



MINARD'S
"KING OF PAIN"
LINIMENT

"Accept my heartfelt thanks on behalf of my aged father, who for the past few months has been severely troubled with rheumatic pains in his left arm, so much so that he could no longer work at his tailoring profession, despite consulting the leading specialists of the city, and trying enough so-called remedies to sink a boat; we finally made up our minds that he was a hopeless invalid. I can truthfully assert the fact that not a father's pain. Dyed arm regained its full vigor and is today as well as it ever was after using Minard's Liniment. It is really too good to be true but nevertheless my father has never again suffered pain since using your Liniment."—Francis N. Spicola, 88 Penn St., Providence.

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WANTS STOCK EXCHANGE PUT UNDER QUERY

A bill ordering an investigation of the Boston Stock Exchange is to be introduced this week by Representative William R. Wood of Ward 24. He says that he believes the investigation necessary to see whether the governors have neglected it to regulate the conduct of certain of its members so to prevent their disposing of trading stocks of doubtful value to the public.

"And Mr. Wilmerly: We believe that some influential men of brokers are now the name of the Stock Exchange, to whose credit their names as leading sponsors whose credit is very questionable, but we wish to have regulation which will protect the small investor and stop the practice which is going on under one of an institution not subject to any supervision but what its own officers see fit to prescribe.

"I think a little searchlight turned on the Beacon Hill may disclose some interesting practices by our masters of finance."

The present officers of the exchange are President Lewis E. Greenleaf; vice president, Henry Hornblower; treasurer, James Parker; secretary, Percy Lord; standing committee, John S. Parkinson, Fox, W. Reynolds, Harry K. White, George S. Towle, Phillip W. Wrenn, Hayes Conrad, Charles W. Tenkesbury, William H. Seabury, Harry F. Gay, Walter Jackson and Charles M. Cabot.

SUBWAY MEN BACK AT WORK; STRIKE ENDS

The Cambridge subway strike ended today in a "fizzle." Three thousand Italian laborers appeared in Harvard square, Central square and at the bridge and waited for each other to go to work. About 7:30 several went back to work, and by 10 o'clock all the strikers were back at their old jobs. They returned to work at the old rate of $1.94 for a ten-hour day.

Police Captain Murray of Cambridge is not taking any chances on the good faith of the strikers. He has had a detail of sixty patrolmen stationed along the line of the new subway from Harvard square to Central square and down to the bridge.

"We expect no further trouble," said Superintendent James McManus to a reporter. "The strike was ended as it started, with no apparent reason. The men did not ask for anything before they struck. They ask for nothing as they return to work. The strike was the most gunized scheme of some force-brained fellow. The men came out like a flock of sheep, and they came back to work the same way, one following another."

You see the AMERICAN everywhere in the homes, clubs, restaurants, hotels cars and boats.

SHIP SUBSIDY BRIBE INQUIRY BEGINS

WASHINGTON, April 4.—The special House committee appointed to investigate charges of corruption made by the American Merchant Marine League against members of the House in connection with the proposed ship subsidy legislation met to-day in executive session. Representative Stevenson of Minnesota, who introduced the resolution calling for the investigation, was before the committee and was questioned as to what he knew about the charges, and also as to the names of possible witnesses.

KENTUCKY DISTILLER SUICIDE BY PISTOL

OWENSBORO, April 4.—Daniel Monarch, forty-five years old, a member of the firm of Monarch Brothers, distillers, committed suicide here to-day. He shot himself through the heart. He leaves a widow and six children.

WELLESLEY TALKS TOWN PLANS TO-NIGHT

A radical change in the form of government of the town of Wellesley may be decided at the annual town meeting to-night. There are sixty-nine articles in the warrant. Among the articles to be discussed is that of the advisability of changing the present form of town control to that known as the "permission" form of government, which favors fewer town officers and fewer boards for the town.

ASQUITH RUSHES FIGHT ON THE LORDS

LONDON, April 4.—Premier Asquith and the cabinet met to-day to discuss the plans for hurrying the budget bill through the house of lords. The Premier presented the final draft of his plan to compel the committee work on the government resolutions to be finished by April 14.

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MRS. KELLEHER GIVEN FREEDOM IN POISON CASE

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Katherine. Counsel for the defense stated that there was an obvious explanation of how the arsenic got into the body. The district attorney suggested that if counsel for the defence could show a reasonable explanation of how the arsenic got into the bodies that he would be perfectly willing to enter a nolle prosse, or have a jury impaneled and that he would ask the jury to find Mrs. Kelleher not guilty in each of the indictments.

The court in the exercise of its discretion, suggested the District Attorney to select one of the six counts and try the defence before the court. The court also suggested that counsel for the defense give the district attorney the names of the state witnesses he desired for the grand jury. Attorney Vickery said he would ask the district attorney to do this.

Effort of District Attorney.

"It is a popular notion that counsel will do anything to win their cases. It is also a popular notion that it is the only purpose of the district attorney to convict persons who have been indicted. But I am glad that the present district attorney that he is seeking only for the truth and that he is willing to deal in hand with justice.

"I have come to the conclusion that Mrs. Kelleher is not guilty of any crime in any of the indictments. I believe that the explanation which her counsel has given concerning the presence of arsenic in any body is reasonable, obvious and proper, and that no jury would believe it and that the only, therefore, should not be put to the expense of a trial.

"The explanation of the presence of arsenic in the bodies is as follows: That there was arsenic found in a soap bar mattress, upon which both of those who were sick had slept. Most of the members of the family who were sick had died. If not all of them, had slept on that mattress.

"The mattress was taken apart last December and a quantity of it analyzed by experts and arsenic was found in the hair in considerable quantities. It is a well-known fact that these hair mattresses are made over out of old mattresses. The hair is often cleansed by the use of arsenic when it is to be put into these clean mattresses.

Arsenic Is Accounted For.

"This accounts for the presence of arsenic in this case. As a result the District Attorney is happy to state these facts to the jury and ask you to render a verdict of not guilty on each count in the indictment. The fullest recognizance is due to Mrs. Kelleher, and I ask it from you in the form of this verdict at your hands."

Mrs. Mary Kelleher worked in the house of Mrs. Ada L. Lovell at No. 144 Upland road, Cambridge, in December, 1908. Following the fire at the dwelling she was arrested and was held for the grand jury for arson.

Series of Deaths.

The attention then drawn to her aroused investigation into the deaths, alleged to have been suspicious, of six of Mrs. Kelleher's relatives. These relatives and the assigned causes of death were:

Bridget Knowles, sister of Mrs. Kelleher, husband, aged thirty-one, March 7, 1906, of No. 341 Washington street, from cerebro-spinal meningitis and endocarditis.

Annie T. Kelleher, sister of Mrs. Kelleher, husband, aged thirty-one, March 7, 1906, of No. 341 Washington street, from cerebro-spinal meningitis and endocarditis.

Stephen Kelleher, husband of Mary Kelleher, aged forty-three, May 13, 1906, at Carney Hospital, from acute pneumonia and endocarditis.

Mary Kelleher, two years, daughter of Stephen and Mary Kelleher, November 21, 1906, from capillary bronchitis and pneumonia, at No. 61 Loring street, Somerville.

William Kelleher, eight years, eleven months, seven days old, January 14, 1908, at No. 4 Quincy street, from acute tonsilitis. He was Mrs. Kelleher's youngest son.

Catherine M. Kelleher, twenty years, seven months, eleven days old, died July 22, 1908, at No. 7 Durham street, Somerville, from pleurisy following. She was the eldest child of Mrs. Kelleher.

The bodies were exhumed and subjected to tests to determine if possible whether arsenic had been administered to them.

In March, 1909, Mrs. Kelleher was indicted on seven counts charging her with murder, and after months in jail with unavailing efforts of the government to establish a case.

Ten days ago an insane convict was ordered to examine Mrs. Kelleher. The commission reported her sane.

WHICH ARE TEN GREATEST NOVELS? $25 IN PRIZES FOR BEST PREPARED LISTS

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Following are some of the most interesting replies received:

White Mountain Ideals.

"Best Novels" Editor:

The following are the titles of novels which I consider best fulfil the conditions of your contest:

Les Miserables, by Victor Hugo.
Uncle Tom's Cabin, by H. B. Stowe.
The Vicar of Wakefield, by Oliver Goldsmith.
Henry Esmond, by Thackeray.
Kenilworth, by Scott.
Ivanhoe, by Scott.
Romance of the Seven Gables, by Hawthorne.
David Copperfield, by Dickens.
A Tale of Two Cities, by Dickens.
The Old Curiosity Shop, by Dickens.
Respectfully,
CHARLES BARRETT.
Barnstead, N. H.

Some Old Friends Here.

"Best Novels" Editor:

My selection of the ten best and greatest novels is the following:

Silas Marner, Eliot.
Oliver Twist, Dickens.
The Spy, Cooper.
Rebecca, Ivanhoe, De Foe.
Pamhoe, Scott.
The Vicar of Wakefield, Goldsmith.
Pickwick Papers, Dickens.
Uncle Tom's Cabin, Stowe.
Last Days of Pompeii, Lytton.
The Three Musketeers, Dumas.

Yours very truly,
D. FRIEDBERG.
No. 12 Lambert street, Roxbury.

David Harum Appears.

"Best Novels" Editor:

Please find list of "Best Novels" for your consideration. I don't think a person could submit a list of just ten titles that would please all, as we naturally differ in our tastes, as there are undoubtedly a hundred novels that could be named among the best and most beautiful works ever written.

Ben Hur, by Lewis Wallace.
Last Days of Pompeii, by Bulwer Lytton.
Ivanhoe, by Sir Walter Scott.
Romance of the Seven Gables, by Nathaniel Hawthorne.
David Copperfield, by Charles Dickens.
Tale of Two Cities, by Charles Dickens.
Uncle Tom's Cabin, by Harriet Beecher Stowe.
Pickwick Papers, by Charles Dickens.
David Harum, by Edward N. Westcott.

Respectfully yours,
J. SHERMAN POTTER
No. 40 Windsor street, Forest Hills.

Includes "Right of Way."

"Best Novels" Editor:

The following is my selection, for the ten best:

Les Miserables, Hugo.
Last Days of Pompeii, Bulwer.
Quo Vadis, Sienkiewicz.
Ben Hur, Wallace.
Lorna Doone, Blackmore.
Ivanhoe, Scott.
Kelly Miller, Parker.
Uncle Tom's Cabin, Stowe.
The Three Musketeers, Dumas.
The White Company, Doyle.

J. J. BURNS
No. 756 Central street, Lowell.

Sent Excellent Lists.

Among the many other excellent lists in the contest are the following:

Eugene W. Perry, Jr., Hotel Essex, Law rence.
Miss W. J. Hamilton, 34 Howard street, Roxbury.
Miss Mary A. Dolan, 25 Lenox street, Roxbury.
Miss Mary Cahill, 20 Mount Hope street, Roxbury.
Miss Alice E. Macdonald, 712 Massachusetts avenue, Cambridge

WOMEN AT RUSSELL HEARING CHEER FIRST CLAIMANT TO ESTATE

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nsonable cause for his departure has en shown. U, among the clues, it can s conceived that he had a lofty spirit to s independent and make him own way the world for himself and return a ver day successful, that might be con ered; but that a man between three of enty-five years of age should leave home bring no cause—that is not to be fou in the way this petitioner has! That no one of the things that make it im ssible for Levi Gould to believe that the pplicant was genuine.

Sees Contrast in Tastes.

That same lofty spirit which made in leave home would never allow him to turn to apply for any of the pe ndered years ago. On all the evidence t is clear that Daniel Blake Russell at the age of twenty-three was a person of refinement, gentle manners, artistic in taste and somewhat delicate in health, also with a good education.

We find the petitioner, meanwhile, on the evidence, a tramp, a woodsman, a cow puncher, a ranchman, a speculator, em ployed at times in the various trades, during the practise of those developed into a robust, muscular man far beyond the average in strength and accustomed to hard work.

"All these changes, if we are to believe them, have been wrought in the fine deli cate person of Daniel Blake Russell during a period of twenty-five years and after reaching manhood. If Daniel Blake Russell had been a difficult man to deal with he was not much to get home. Can we consider that any other course than going directly to his own home would be considered by him and declare himself, declare his identity? Can we believe that any other course than that would be followed by the claim ant in the genuine? That is what the genuine Daniel Blake Russell would have done. If he hadn't means to get home, it would not be difficult for him to get them.

Calls Method Unnatural.

"Has the petitioner here taken any such course? We find the petitioner an en tirely different character, a man of cattle at his disposal, resolving to return to his family in Melrose and his place in engaging in the natural way, as does legal business from professional gentle men.

"This claimant avoids the assistance of strangers until last year, although he is engaged in selling many things he never had handled before, and has succeeded in getting together thousands of dollars in his pocket. He gradually loses all memory of his former life and refers to the time he left Melrose as the time he was injured in the head. All this time there appeared a man named Daniel Blake Russell, whose wife and Russell exists from this same Frank Mor ton, Morton was Melrose and the Rus sell family. All of the connections were there in Melrose and this adventurer met the petitioner.

"Mr. Morton says himself that he was almost penniless at that time, and he got off for the emergency. He was ready to go and accept any place that he could. The petitioner clothed him with the scheme of receiving the benefits of the will estate. Then there the petitioner learned about the Russell family, the peo ple and the town in Melrose.

Says Morton Gave Aid.

"Of all men, Morton could give the sat isfactory results. Morton's words could not have been planted in more fertile soil than those were given. One man could ex plain while the other was overhowling with the knowledge possessed by him who would the genuine Daniel Blake Russell would be such unanswerable.

"I asked the petitioner on the stand to name the nicknames of the boys with whom his boyhood home. Although he has been in hospitals time and time again, he would not state that he had ever been ill with any disease that would affect his mental capacity. But it was noticeable that this petitioner could not be in his right mind. He could not remember that Frank Morton, a room in the hotel was not all. Morton was Melrose and the Russell family. Then they all met to other.

"An agreement was entered into in which Frank Morton and the petitioner should have the Russell estate. Morton met the petitioner and Melrose. Melrose. Melrose him to tell friends of the original Daniel Blake Russell that he was dead and that he was to try to convert William Spinney, an old neighbor of the Russell family, and the belief that this was the real Daniel Blake Russell.

"We both read the testimony of Robert Norris Shurtleff. You saw in the morning's news blotted speech and culprits to words. Think of the opportunity that Robert Twist must have presented as he appeared in the courtroom to identify this man, and over sensitive man, the real Daniel Blake Russell. To the real Daniel Blake Dan Russell was the railroad and the very spot where he was injured. Robert Twist man confided in this tramp and told him that he was Daniel Blake Russell. Again as St. Albans on July 4th he went so far that he actually signed a dog and bought a lot of alcohol from his friend. They were drinking and the dog was behind the door, was immensely suffering from a burning thirst and was begging for water. Think of this man who had the guidance of such a beautiful mind succeed to such brutality! Think of Robert Twist, they put up in a testimony of Neil Twist, they put up in a room at the Brunswick excursion of Boston this point have grated upon the genuine Daniel Blake Russell's ears. Think of this man to pass for the genuine Daniel Blake Rus sell! Think of the petitioner the names of Daniel Blake Russell's friends, the petitioner was begging all the time of his pet's wealth. Does your Honor think that town.

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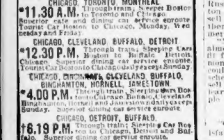

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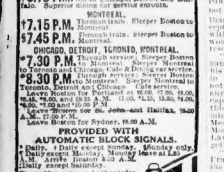

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Daniel Blake Russell No. 1 reached the courthouse shortly before court convened. He was surrounded by his friends, who assured him of their allegiance. He was accompanied by his wife and by Miss Adelaide Coombs, a sister of Edward Frentz, who identified "Frank Jan" as the rightful co-heir to the property.

Claimant No. 1 Confident.

"There are a great many to believe I am the real Daniel," said Claimant No. 1 to-day, "and there are a great many who believe that I am an imposter. Before this case goes on much further they will all be on my side."

Lawyers Cartwright and Odlin, attorneys for Fresno Dan, reached the courthouse at 9:30. Fresno Dan was not with them. They said that he would not be in court.

Miss Hattie Keith, who knew Daniel Blake Russell when the latter was but a boy, and who is firm in her belief that claimant No. 1 is the genuine heir, was one of the first to reach the court house to-day. Miss Keith said:

"They may bring as many Daniel Blake Russells as they wish to Boston, but there is but one real one, and that is the first Daniel Blake Russell to appear on the scene. He is the man who has been in the Lee Cambridge court room for the past six months attempting to establish his claim.

"I know him, and his other friends know him. I knew him when he was a boy, and associated with him together as chums. I am not saying that I have a great deal of him, during the twenty-five years that he has been missing his face has been before me. The first day that I saw him it took only a few minutes for me to see in his features those of the boy I knew in the long ago.

"I have studied with great care the face of the new claimant from a photograph. How much unlike it and the face of the real boy I knew in the long ago. Then in possession in the features of the new man for a time was a mystery to me. Suddenly it was that I knew years ago. Everything is different.

Accompanying Miss Keith were Miss May Leonard Ser father Henry Leonard and Mrs. Lee Mrs. Lee Mr. and Mrs. Lee. Lee E. Rutland. This party of Daniel No. 1 partisans took the 10:30 o'clock ferry from Melrose to the East Cambridge court house, and could get there in time for them about 7 o'clock.

When the party got there to open up the big building he found the Melrose people already in the court room, eating their breakfasts, which they had brought with them.

Soon after this the crowd began to gath er, and when court convened Mr. and Mrs. Lee and took their places in the lengthening line. By o'clock the line had reached from the entrance to the courtroom out through the corridor to the stairway, and when court opened the crowd had been swelled to more than 500.

SEEK INTERVIEW WITH CLAIMANT THEY CALL COLE

The four Boston men who believe that the man from Fresno, Cal., is not entitled to be the real Daniel Blake Russell, is no other than William Cole, formerly of Dover, N. H., till not long ago a conductor on a car on the brookwater. It is feared she is a total wreck.

Edward J. Rogan, a florist of No. 3 Park street, is also interested in the case, as he thinks he met the Fresno man in Dover some time ago. J. Intrebelli, a Boston printer, says that the picture of the Fresno man in his office and Mrs. Rogan he knew as a private detective in Cleveland, Ohio.

"It was not so much the photograph as the actions of the man and the stories he told of his personality which made me think he is William Cole, son of Michael C. Cole at one time a police lieutenant here," said Mr. Morey to-day. "I don't care to be mixed up in this case at all, but I told my story to Attorney Nelson L. Sheldon.

Attorney Greenhood said that the Bellows Falls man's story was remarkable. Attorney Brown and Colonel Stevens also agreed with the theory. These four men all came to this conclusion without a consultation and without any knowledge that other men had the same idea.

Mr. Rogan has told Attorney Sheldon that he met a man in New York sometime ago who he thinks is the new claimant.

Mr. Intrebelli came to his conclusion when the first picture of the Fresno claimant was published in Boston. "This man looks to me exactly like a man whom I knew in Cleveland, Ohio," he said. "This man was a private detective."

TAX ASSESSMENT CHANGE ADVOCATED

Chairman Sullivan of the Boston Finance Commission argued before the legislative Committee on Taxation in executive session to-day for several recommendations of the commission, having to do with the assessment and collection of taxes. Mr. Sullivan favored three recommendations. That the law requiring that assessors be appointed equally from the two political parties be repealed, that the principal of portion be required in assessing property, that persons seeking abatements show a receipt to show a receipt for a poll tax paid in another city or town.

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IMPORTANT REALTY DEALS ANNOUNCED

Many important sales were announced in the realty field to-day, three including several parcels in the city proper, one being the property at No. 450 Tremont street, consisting of Nos. 50-51 Compton street and extending through to Albion street, South End, which has been sold by James J. Green et al. to Charles F. Hackett. There are three frame buildings and 2,895 square feet of land, all taxed for $20,000, of which $18,800 is on the land.

In the same district the two and one-half story brick house and 882 square feet of land at No. 46 Village street, corner of Lenox street, and assessed on a total valuation of $5,100, have been sold by Harriet H. Gould to George H. Wood. The land is rated at $4,000.

Josephine M. Hicks, trustee, has sold to Harris Fendel the three-story brick building and 1,000 square feet of land, all taxed for $2,500, at 20 Merrimac street, corner of South Market street, near Boston Fruit wharf, South End. The sale is assessed for $900.

Another South End property sold is that at No. 17 Kirkland street, near Pleasant street, which has been purchased by Leonardo de Cicco from Herman H. Greenhood. It is all taxed for $2,100, of which $1,400 is on the 876 square feet of land included in the parcel. There is also a two and one-half story brick building on the property.

The files of the Boston Real Estate Exchange show a large increase in all trust actions in Suffolk county the past week over those of the corresponding week of last year and 1908. The following table, compiled by the exchange, shows the entries of record for the week at the registry of deeds:

	1910	1909	1908
No. of transfers	205	225	215
No. of mortgages	209	222	203
Amount	$1,540,220	$807,761	$975,000

The recorded table, also compiled by the Real Estate Exchange, gives in detail the daily transactions in realty for the week beginning March 28 and ending April 2:

	Mtgs.	Amt. of	Consid.
March 28	92	58	$570,150
March 29	37	24	158,805
March 30	82	63	158,805
March 31	82	63	158,805
April 1	66	29	207,850
April 2	50	28	207,850
Total	209	205	$1,540,995

In Dorchester the property at No. 25 Everett street, near Dorchester avenue, comprising a frame dwelling and 5,044 square feet of land all taxed for $4,500, has been sold by Emma B. Lester to Mary A. Dunn. The land is taxed for $1,300.

Clara L. Burbank has sold to Frank E. Griffin et al. the three-story brick building and land at No. 20 Florida street, near Bourgand road, Dorchester, all assessed for $3,200, of which $1,100 is on the land.

Ruth J. Bowditch has sold to Florence M. Hearth a lot of land on Robeson street, near Hillsdale road, Dorchester, containing 18,500 square feet and taxed for $3,600.

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ASK TUTTLE FOR BETTER SERVICE

Business men of Boston and vicinity, and of the Merrimack Valley, will meet President Lucius Tuttle of the Boston and Maine railroad on Thursday afternoon in an effort to obtain better shipping facilities. The conference at the meeting of business and railroad interests was started by the Lowell Board of Trade, and the conference was arranged through the efforts of Secretary John A. McKenna of the board.

STEAMER GROUNDS IN PLYMOUTH HARBOR

PLYMOUTH, Mass., April 4.—The steamer Bay State, bound from Boston to Yarmouth, Me., with a general cargo, went on the breakwater this morning. She was floated at high tide this afternoon and proceeded on her way. She was not damaged.

SANG TO PRISONERS.

At the services at the State Prison chapel at Charlestown, A. Crabbe, a member of the Manhattan Opera company, rendered two beautiful selections. More than four hundred inmates attended.

Out-of-the-Way News Facts by Wire

FROGS PUT OUT A FIRE.

GREENWICH, Ct., April 4.—Fire wasn't any water to-day to put out the big farmhouse of Laurence Delmis. "Only built it last May," said Delmis elder, "is just a mess of peep frogs around. Filled my cellar with peep frogs, and five hundred gallons of water. All right, now. Peep frogs all gone. Only peepers now." The orders were followed and for a few minutes the air was full of frogs. They proved to be great fire extinguishers.

KILLED BY $12,000 CHUCK.

POUGHKEEPSIE, April 4.—Martin A. Gleason died at Milbrook on receiving a check for $12,000 in the estate of her farm on which he had always lived. Her death was caused by the nervousness attending the closing of the deal.

ALL NATURE-FAKERS BARRED.

WASHINGTON, April 4.—Washington society's newest fad is a story telling club. Nicholas Longworth, son of former Miss Roosevelt is one of the prime movers of the club. Not very long the club will gather at the residences of members and hold "fake" feasts.

METEOR SETS FIRE TO BARN.

PLAINFIELD, N. J., April 4.—A crowd of curious persons poked in gingerly to-day among the charred ruins of the big barn back of Fearing's Hotel here that a meteor which set the building afire. The meteor plunged out of sky and ploughed straight through the building from roof to floor.

AGE OF EGGS ON MENUS.

SACRAMENTO, April 4.—Hotels, restaurants and boarding houses serving eggs must announce their customers' age, must say "new eggs" and the menu must not be over ten days old, by a law which went into effect by a decision of the State Board of Health to-day.

BOY STARVED BY ALLIGATORS.

PALMETTO, La., April 4.—The body of Ernest Johnson was found in the top most branches of a tree in Gish Bayou swamp. The youth took refuge from alligators in the tree and starved to death. A note found in his hat told the story of his death.

RESCUE BIRDS ENTOMBED ALIVE.

NEW YORK, A colony of sparrows has been walled up in the addition to the Elks' Home in Orange, N. J., now near completion, and men went to work to-day to rescue the feathered prisoners. One estimate puts the number of birds at 250.

TODAY'S STOCK MARKETS; FINANCIAL NEWS

STATE ST. NEWS FOR INVESTORS

The week has been one of waiting and anticipation, with the professionals doing about as they pleased with the stock market.

$ $ $

It is idle to deny that the stock market has lost much of its vitality in the last few months, but this does not mean that it is an impossibility to regain it.

$ $ $

About the only buying going on now is on a scale down and comes from those who can take advantage of good lines in an easy going way. It is but natural to suppose that these people do not care for an advance just yet, as it would interfere with their little programmes.

$ $ $

The bears become aggressive every now and then, but it is only a scale that would attract attention as a usual thing. The absence of support tempts the manipulation of the shorts into bold relief and makes it more conspicuous than is warranted by the facts.

$ $ $

But organized capital is tired of the mystery and the doubt of what is legal, and it wants to know the terms of employment before it goes to work again.

$ $ $

Never before in the history of the world did such vast money values depend on a Supreme Court decision. The millions involved in the Standard Oil case are significant part of the property to be affected by the decision, and the very minds business capital and scores of the greatest business men in the country are practically now on vacation for weeks, resting and gathering strength for the great struggle that must follow the decision, for the trusts are at present in the midst of the most prosperous boom or a period of terrible confusion is at hand.

$ $ $

Trade reports are mixed and might be better or worse. The steel trade is doing fairly well without gaining much ground and the lumber business is not good either at all. There is plenty of hopeful talk all round, but the very goods business is still spiritless and disappointing. It is one of the troubles of events that the nation and woolen manufacturers, who received the largest share of loot in last year's tariff revision, have been doing poor business ever since.

$ $ $

After a period of six weeks the gold export movement has been resumed. There is also under way at the present time a movement of French gold coin through the port of New York to Cuba. This gold is being specially imported from France and then reshipped to Cuba, and does not represent any actual loss of cash to the local banks. It has been estimated that the total of these shipments of gold coin to Cuba are of the same nature as the late movement of the same kind to Egypt.

$ $ $

In spite of all the good words said for Cheesebrough, it is generally understood that the dividend will be raised from 4 to 5 per cent. It is also said that there was considerable selling of the security by those who had been long of it for the rise, and the action of the system is brought about it may have been the cause of the drop. The holders are buying very confidently.

$ $ $

What the immediate future of sugar is is not for one to be willing to predict, but all reports coming from the refining centres of the country are favorable to the proper ty. Since President Guggenheim's visit to Europe there has been talk that some very good buying of the issue on the part of skilled financial manipulators, who believe it will have a fine rise.

$ $ $

A. E. Orne has been elected assistant treasurer of the St. Mary's Mineral Land Company, Mr. Orne being also assistant treasurer of the Houghton Copper company.

$ $ $

The Franklin stock which the St. Mary's Mineral Land Company is distributing among its stockholders will be distributed through the American Trust company.

$ $ $

Boston Street Land Company trustees have declared the regular quarterly dividend of 50 cents per share, payable on or before April 15 to stock of interest, taxes and other expenses.

$ $ $

Although the second instalment of the $2 assessment levied on the stock of the Winona Copper Company was paid only on the basis of one month, an assessment of another dollar will be called some time in October, probably in July. The one dollar assessment to be called will provide for the retirement of this stock. There is now built in $21 per share on the 100,000 shares.

$ $ $

Almost everybody in Boston reads the AMERICAN.

CHEAPER BUTTER IS NOW THE PROMISE

NEW YORK, April 4.—It is predicted in the wholesale butter market of New York that as a result of the reduction in the tariff on cream from 11 to 5 cents a gallon, prices will be made in Boston and the Canadian frontier and a large proportion of the butter on the New York market will be made from Canadian cream in American creameries.

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"Too big," you say?

Well, it is below the probabilities and very much below the possibilities. $43,340,000 in gold has been produced in seven years within a radius of ten miles. Associates have 800 acres new ground 4½ miles long in the heart of this territory. The exact of ground next adjoining has already produced $9,000,000. This tract of 800 acres is expected to produce $4,000,000 to $8,000,000, and may produce over $9,000,000, while only $1,000,000 will pay investors 100% annually for at least five years. A small block of this stock is offered at par and will be delivered to first cash orders received in amounts from $100 up. All orders subject to prior sale. Call or write and let me show you my reasons for the statements. You will then call them conservative. GEO. H. HALE, 161 Devonshire St., Boston, Mass.

BOSTON STOCKS.

Following is the range of prices to noon for leading Boston stocks:

	High.	Low.	Noon.
RAILROADS.			
Boston Elevated	129½	129½	129½
Boston & Maine	148	148	148
N. Y., N. H. & H.	156⅜	156⅛	156⅛
TELEPHONES.			
American	135⅛	134⅞	135⅛
New England	135⅛	135⅛	135⅛
MISCELLANEOUS.			
Am. Pneumatic	6	6	6
Am. Pneumatic pf.	18⅞	18⅝	18⅝
Mass. Gas	79	79	79
United Fruit	172	172	172
United Shoe Ma. pf.	29	29	29
UNLISTED SECURITIES.			
Amalgamated	75¼	75	75⅛
Atl. Gulf & W. I.	8⅝	8⅝	8⅝
Am. Woolen pf.	101	101	101
Am. Zinc	20⅞	20⅝	20⅞
Indiana	31⅛	31⅛	31⅛
Lake Copper	64⅝	64⅜	64⅜
Miami Copper	22	21⅞	21⅞
North Lake	16⅛	16	16
Ray Cons.	20⅞	20	20
Superior & Pitts.	13⅝	13⅜	13⅜
Swift & Co.	105⅝	105⅛	105⅝
U. S. Smelting	43	43	43
MINING STOCKS.			
Arcadian	8¾	8¾	8¾
Arizona Com.	19⅝	19⅛	19⅛
Calumet & Hecla	690	690	690
Copper Range	71⅝	71⅝	71⅝
Franklin	15⅜	15⅛	15⅛
Granby	44	43⅞	46
Greene Cananea	9⅜	9⅛	9⅜
Mass.	4⅝	4⅝	4⅝
Mohawk	53	52	53
North Butte	34⅛	34⅛	34⅛
Osceola	145	145	145
Quincy	83	83	83
Shannon	12⅜	12⅜	12⅜
Tamarack	59	58	58
Utah Con.	28	28	28

BOSTON BANK STATEMENT.

	April 2, 1910.	Increase.
Loans	$607,070,000	$2,350,000
Circulation	17,117,000	15,000
Deposits	680,701,000	10,344,000
Due banks	71,272,000	918,000
Cash items	11,091,000	1,304,000
Res. agents	58,331,000	517,000
Exchanges clear.	25,097,000	1,092,000
Due from banks	72,253,000	386,000
Legal reserve	77,408,000	
Legal leaders	1,900,000	*100,000
Specie	52,198,000	330,000
Reserve	154,857,000	1,191,000
Exc. with res. agents	13,009,857	*23,286

Excess of reserves last year, in Boston, $670,142, with reserve agents, $18,043,142.

METAL MARKET.

Silver in London 24⅝ pence; New York 52⅛ cents.

Copper in London opened and closed steady and unchanged; spot £58 2 6; futures £58 5s. Best selected, £60.

At the New York Metal Exchange a generally steady tone was shown, and April 12.75@13; May 12.80@13; June 12.85@13.05.

COURT-MARTIAL ON CHARGE OF THEFT

Lieutenant Lawrence G. Haughley, paymaster of the gunboat Castine, will be put on trial before a court-martial at the Charlestown navy yard Thursday, charged with embezzlement and neglect of duty in connection with the loss of $3,000 from the paymaster's safe on board the ship. The money was stolen from the safe about April 1, 1909, and it is said that the safe was stuffed in a partition on the ship. The officer charged with the loss says he left the ship the money was safely locked up and when he returned it was gone. It is said he will have civil lawyers to defend him.

Lieutenant Charles F. Preston will be the court-martial and Assistant Naval Constructor Robert B. Hilliar the judge advocate.

More AMERICANS are read in the homes in Boston than any other paper.

HYDE PARK TAX RATE MAY JUMP $1.50

At the Hyde Park town meeting Wednesday night the taxpayers will be urged by the advisory board of the town to appropriate $253,400.50 for the coming years budget, a this is an increase of some $20,000 over that of last year, it will probably cause the tax rate to jump from $17.20 to $18.70. The town warrant, as recommended by the advisory board, contains many new articles. The added expenses are appropriations for an assistant engineer of pay for the firemen, a larger school fund and the redemption of bonds falling due next year.

STOCK MARKET DULL, UNEASY

NEW YORK, April 4.—In expectation of a decision by the Supreme Court in the American Tobacco case, price changes in the stock market during the early trading to-day were trivial. At the opening quotations were a trifle higher. Following this, however, there was a selling movement which caused a decline of nearly a point in most active issues.

At the end of the first half hour of trading a rally occurred and quotations advanced to a level slightly above Saturday's closing.

Business was on a light scale. Special reporters stationed at the capital in Washington said early in the session that it was expected that the court would announce immediately for at least one day in memory of the late Justice Brewer.

As the court was not scheduled to assemble until 12 o'clock the first two hours were uneasy ones for Wall street. Even the curb market was dull. Trading in stocks there was at a minimum with change in prices. American shares were neglected in London, although a trifle higher. The boom in rubber shares continued.

NEW YORK STOCKS.

Following is the range of prices to noon for the leading New York stocks:

	High.	Low.	Noon.
RAILROADS.			
Atch., T. & S. F.	122⅛	121⅝	121⅝
Balt. & Ohio	116⅞	116⅝	116⅝
Brooklyn Rapid Tr.	77	76⅞	77
Canadian Pac.	183⅛	182⅝	183⅛
Chesa. & Ohio	83¼	84⅜	84⅜
Chic., R. I. & P.	140⅛	140⅛	140⅛
Chic. & N. W.	150⅞	150⅝	150⅝
Erie	29⅝	29⅜	29⅜
Erie, N. Y. pf.	43⅝	43⅝	43⅝
Illinois Central	138⅛	138⅛	138⅛
Int.-Metropol.	22¼	22	22
Int.-Met. pref.	57⅞	57	57⅜
Mo., Kan & Tex.	40⅜	40⅛	40⅜
N. Y. C. & Hud.	121⅞	121½	121½
N. Y., O. & W.	45⅛	45⅛	45⅛
Norfolk & West.	103	103	103
Northern Pac.	138⅛	138⅛	138⅛
Pennsylvania	135⅝	135⅜	135⅝
Reading	164⅛	163⅝	164
Rock Island	46⅛	45⅝	46⅛
Southern Pac.	124¼	123⅞	124¼
Southern Ry.	27⅝	27⅜	27⅝
Texas & Pac.	27⅜	27⅛	27⅜
Union Pacific	184⅝	183⅝	184⅝
Wabash pf.	46	45⅝	45⅝
INDUSTRIALS AND MISCELLANEOUS.			
Amal. Copper	73⅛	74⅛	75
Am. Agric. & Fdy.	62⅛	62⅛	62⅛
Am. Ice Secur.	29⅞	29⅛	29⅞
Am. Linseed	31⅛	30⅝	30⅝
Am. Sug. Ref.	122⅝	122⅝	122⅝
Am. Beet Sug.	42⅜	42⅛	42⅜
Am. Tel. & Tel.	135⅞	134⅝	135⅞
Anaconda Cop.	44⅛	44	44⅛
Brk. Rap. Tr.	70⅛	69¾	69¾
Con. Gas (N. Y.)	141	140⅞	140⅞
Gen. Elec.	160	159⅝	159⅝
Northern Ore.	66⅛	66⅛	66⅛
People's Gas	111	110⅝	110⅝
U. S. Steel	87⅛	87⅛	87⅛
U. S. Steel pf.	83⅝	82⅝	83
Utah Copper	44⅛	44⅛	44⅛
Va. Car. Chem.	58¾	58¾	58¾
West. El. & Mfg.	64⅛	64⅛	64⅛

THE WORKHORSE PARADE.

The Lawrence gold medal which is awarded to the best four-horse team is expected to bring out a great display. Several of these teams ever seen in the annual workhorse parade. Several of the winners of the medal in former years have been excluded from the contest. But this year the medal will be thrown open to all comers, and it is confidently expected that a rousing time will be had. Other classes this year will be larger than ever before, and the number of the prizes will be increased accordingly.

Heard at the Symphony Concert.

"It must be a big strain on a man's strength to conduct such a work as the Wienerwurst symphony of Hamburger's."

"Indeed, it must. Herr Hamburger looks as though a refreshing stein of P. B. Lager wouldn't go amiss this very moment."

NEW YORK, March 18, 1910.

TO THE HOLDERS OF

Republic Iron & Steel Co.

First Mortgage Five Per Cent. Bonds:

The Republic Iron & Steel Company has authorized an issue of $25,000,000 10-30 Year Five Per Cent. Sinking Fund Mortgage Gold Bonds, whereof $15,000,000 bonds are reserved for future issue subject to the restrictions set forth in the Mortgage and bonds up to $10,000,000 are now to be issued for the purpose of taking up its First Mortgage Bonds, which this Company has agreed to call for payment on October 1, 1914, and for other corporate purposes. On or before October 1, 1914, the new Mortgage will therefore become a First Mortgage on all of the property of the Company.

The earnings of the Company for the past four and one-half years have averaged nearly six times the amount of the annual interest on the $10,000,000 bonds; at no time within these years have they amounted to less than four times the amount of said interest. The total value of our mineral reserves, fixed assets and quick assets is estimated at over $75,000,000 or nearly eight times the amount of our present bond issue.

The bonds carry a minimum Sinking Fund, payable in cash or bonds at par, of 2½ per cent. per annum on $10,000,000 bonds and on all further bonds issued; to be increased whenever annual extraction of minerals exceeds amount specified in mortgage.

The Republic Iron & Steel Company hereby offers to the holders of its First Mortgage Bonds to purchase their bonds at 105 and accrued interest in cash, and has also arranged with Messrs. Hallgarten & Co. and J. & W. Seligman & Co., that such bondholders as may desire to do so, shall have the privilege of taking in exchange the new bonds par for par and cash for the premium.

This offer may be withdrawn at any time without notice.

The coupons due April 1, 1910, of the First Mortgage 5% Bonds will be paid at the office of Hallgarten & Co., 5 Nassau Street, New York.

REPUBLIC IRON & STEEL COMPANY,
By JNO. A. TOPPING, Chairman.

New York, March 18, 1910.

Referring to the above notice of the Republic Iron & Steel Company, the undersigned give notice that they are prepared to receive Republic Iron & Steel Company First Mortgage Five Per Cent. Bonds (ex. April 1, 1910, coupon), and to deliver in exchange therefor, par for par, new 10-30 Year Five Per Cent. Sinking Fund Mortgage Gold Bonds (bearing October 1, 1910, and subsequent coupons), together with $50 in cash in respect of each $1,000 bond so delivered.

Copies of a letter of the Chairman of the Company, giving full information in regard to the above issue of bonds, may be had on application.

We recommend these bonds as a safe and conservative investment.

Temporary bonds are now ready for delivery.

This offer may be withdrawn at any time without notice.

HALLGARTEN & Co., No. 5 Nassau Street, New York.

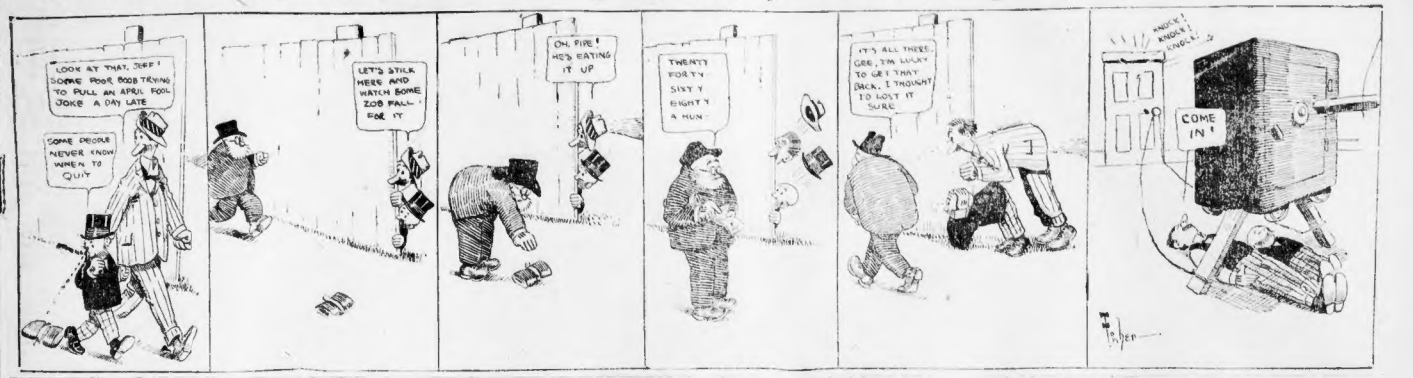
J. & W. SELIGMAN & CO., No. 1 William Street, New York.

MATTY BALDWIN IS MATCHED TO FIGHT WOLGAST

BOSTON AMERICAN SPORTS

TWO GIANTS ARE TRADED TO DOVES FOR BEALS BECKER

The Bob Had No Idea of Getting Off the April Fool Thing—By "Bud" Fisher



VANDERBILT RACE WINNER WILL GET $2,000

By J. C. KERRISON.

The Alco, Chalmers and Marmon will all have an opportunity this year to defend their titles to the Vanderbilt, Massapequa and Wheatley Hill trophies, respectively, as the Motor Cups Holding Company has officially announced that contests for those trophies will be held on the Long Island Motor Parkway, October 1.

The announcement, coming, as it does at this time, sets at rest all rumors regarding the cups' future. Vanderbilt, The other three events of American motoring will surely be held this year, and will be instituted to create its usual amount of interest. Of course there is no telling at the present time just what cars will and will not be entered, but it can be safely stated that Harry Grant in the Alco, Knipper in the Chalmers and Hanson in the Marmon will all be on hand to defend their respective rights to the several trophies.

The same course will be used and much the same rules will be in force. The distance for the Vanderbilt is 278.6 miles, that of the Massapequa 128.10, and that of the Wheatley 50.50 miles.

Last year cash prizes were awarded to the winners of the three events, the winner of the Vanderbilt being forced to rest content with the glory of the win itself. This year, however, the promoters of the Vanderbilt have been a little more generous and will give to the winning driver the handsome sum of $2,000 and a bronze plaque.

The Vanderbilt is open to cars owned in this country whose piston displacement, in cubic inches, is not less than 301 or over 600. The classification and all other restrictions, provided the main entirety of the car engines and bodies of cars of one or more models during the year preceding the event.

Plans have just been completed by Alfred Kahn, the Detroit architect, for a new Ford Branch building in Omaha, Neb. They have secured a long term ground lease on centrally located property, corner of Harney and Twentieth streets, and will erect a forty thousand dollar building. When finished, it will be the largest and handsomest automobile show room and garage in Omaha, and probably one of the handsomest west of Chicago.

In addition, plans are being drawn for a similar building to house the Ford interests in Cincinnati.

Work has already been started on the new Branch building in Atlanta, Ga., and arrangements are being made for similar structures in Dallas, Houston, Pittsburg and Cleveland. In each of these cities the Ford business has outgrown its present quarters as to make them entirely inadequate, and as it will be impossible to secure buildings already up that would answer the requirements, new buildings have had to be erected in each of these cities.

NEW SONDER SHOWS WELL.

P. D. Lawley, designer of the new sonder klasse boat Juanita, had the new craft out yesterday for the first time. She showed up in a fine light breeze. The Juanita is owned by Henry E. Converse and will be raced by him at Buzzard's Bay, where the boat will be shipped some time this week.

STRAIGHT DOPE
FOR SPORT FANS

WILLIE JONES, THE BROOKLYN lightman who goes after Pal Moore at the Olympic Club in New York tonight, is the latest aspirant for the boxtom title. I had a letter yesterday from Harry Conor, his manager, which contained a photograph of Jones and a challenge to meet Jimmy Walsh at 118 pounds ringside. The letter also stated that Conroy would post $250 forfeit to make the weight, and said the money could stand as a side bet if the Welsh people are willing. He didn't send along the $250, you know. Just said he would. However, he may change his mind a whole lot when Jones gets through with Pal Moore, or when Moore gets through with Jones, whichever way you want to figure it.

AND SPEAKING ABOUT THAT MOORE boy, it looks as though he has completely eliminated himself from the bantam ranks by his refusal to make even the Saddleweight last Saturday for Billy Allen, the Canadian youngster. Allen and Moore were matched to box in Philadelphia at 122 pounds. Several days before the bout was scheduled Moore's manager notified the club that he would not fight unless it was at catchweights. Allen's manager, Charley Hinck, refused, and strenuous efforts were made by the club management to get Moore to make the weight, but Moore was nothing striking. Catchweights or nothing for Moore. This sort of makes Jeff near 116 pound talk of Moore's look like bunk. The fact that Moore couldn't make 122 Saturday for Allen also makes the Soul Jimmy Walsh posted with a Boston paper look pretty safe. There's a lot of flighty talk being handed out about this weight business.

JUST ONE WEEK FROM TO-MORROW two baseball fans will have opportunities of seeing the Red Sox and Doves in action. I'm not handing that out to you as a piece of news, for most of you boys have long ago doped out the days and even the hours. Both teams play here April 12, the Red Sox with Harvard and the Doves with the Providence team. Which are you going to see? It's rather a tough deal to have them both on the same day, but cheer up. The regular season opens two days later.

HERE'S LUCK TO PORKY FLYNN, Boston's most promising heavyweight candidate, who makes his first Metropolitan appearance to-night in a bout with Jim Savage at the National Club in New York. It's been a long time since Boston had a heavyweight who could go over to New York and beat anyone, so let's all squeeze hard for Porky.

GET YOUR MONEY'S WORTH" IS the slogan of the members of the Armory A. A. bulging from the way they are going after tickets for those five star bouts tomorrow night. It looks like a real hot show and I'm guessing that some of the bouts will not go the full distance. I'm going to stand up the dope on those Philadelphia boys and I may let you have a little fun with me by tipping you off on the winners. Oh, I'm a picker from pickersville. Sometimes.

R. H. FOSTER, PORTLAND, ME. Johnson knocked Fitzsimmons out in two rounds in Philadelphia on July 17, 1907.

BERT ROGERS, 20 LEXINGTON street, Charlestown: I am unable to inform you about Young Corbett's salary at the Howard Theatre. It's none of my business, so I don't inquire.

Straight Dope, Boston American:

Dear Sir—I am a great admirer of Battling Nelson and I would like to tell that saddle, whether to go and watch him box Jimmy Walsh or Abe Wolgast in a ten-round bout. Respectfully,

Yours truly, CHARLES MORAN.

I don't know that my opinion is any better than yours but as I am getting paid for it, I'll tell you what I think. Baldwin has much more than the "least chance" with Wolgast. Matty has a good chance to beat any boy in the world judging from the way he has been going recently.

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Mr. Vernal street, Somerville, Mass.:

YOUNG WOMAN TELLS OF HIGH COST OF LIVING

FOUR PRIME REASONS FOR LIVING COST

The telephone has proved a very expensive luxury and always will be while housekeepers do their buying over the wire.

The trouble with most women is that their garbage cans are too big.

A cook can always look fresh and neat and clean, for what's the use of cooking ON your clothes.

The high cost of living is due to a large extent to the fact that the women want to keep house at the rate automobiles go. High speed in house-keeping is expensive and the returns are small.—*ALICE GITCHELL KIRK, food expert and authority on good housekeeping.*

Mrs. Alice Gitchell Kirk, teacher, lecturer and author of cooking, good housekeeping and cook books, has just come out of the West to tell Boston women all the wonderful things she knows about cooking the most delectable dishes for the least possible amount of money.

Mrs. Kirk has information on every known phase of cooking and housekeeping, and she is willing to tell everything she knows, with one exception. She draws the line on telling Boston people how to bake Boston baked beans. She doesn't pretend to know anything about Boston because she's never been here before, but she naively offers for Boston's consideration "Cleveland baked beans."

Now what do you think about that? says the irate Bostonese. Trying to attach the name of any other city but Boston to baked beans!

Quantity Not Essential.

"Women are taking a greater interest in housekeeping and cooking to-day than they ever did before," said Mrs. Kirk to a BOSTON AMERICAN reporter. "All over the country there is a hue and cry for better cooking, and most of all for recipes that are inexpensive and yet tasty and nourishing.

"The question of how much to eat, what to eat and how to eat it, seems to be the most interesting problem nowadays to everybody. But the instant the food question is discussed with the average man, in lessening quantity, he is immediately sure he is going to waste away and die for want of food. It is not quantity that satisfies, if he only knew it, but the correct balancing of foods and quality. They should not only be healthfully balanced, but palatably balanced. Much food has bulk, but little or no power to rebuild waste tissues. You may feel full but not satisfied, and will feel restless. All this could be overcome if women would study food values.

"There is a great difference between food values and food prices. One food may be very cheap and yet very high in food value, and another very expensive and still of little value as a food.

The Pace Too Rapid.

"A few others reason why the present food prices are where they are is that we are living at too rapid a pace. We want everything near by—everything delivered and called for. The price must be paid and it is added to the food. We expect the butcher to have the choicest cuts of meat constantly on hand and delivered at the kitchen door when wanted. This must also be paid for. That a system of real distribution might be devised which would reduce the cost of living a fifth or a quarter seems highly probable.

"If a woman would take the income in reality as a basis and decide on the amount to be spent for food each week, and live within it, she would be surprised at the results in economy. One's neighbor on $10 a week may live better than you on $15, if you have not learned something of food values and how and what to buy.

Two Lectures a Day.

"The character of food was never higher than now. It grows better every day, because experience, service, publicity, competition and common sense are working to that end.

"It remains that the woman who does the buying to equalize this with the present prices, carefully selecting the food in relation to her own family, buying judiciously and discarding the garbage can."

Mrs. Kirk is in Boston for two weeks and will give two lectures with practical demonstrations every day at the Hotel Touraine, Copley square. She is the author of the only card index cook book published, and also publishes a series of daily expense cards for housekeepers and a calendar of correct combinations of foods for daily use.

MRS. ALICE G. KIRK.

YOUNG WOMAN GIVES 'FOOD TALKS' AT SIEGEL STORE

CRITICISE TAFT SABBATH VISIT TO WORCESTER

WORCESTER, April 4.—Worcester railroad men and especially those who had charge of entertaining President Taft at the railroad men's convention are stirred today over sharp criticisms from some Worcester pulpits because the Presidential visit and auto parade were made on the Sabbath.

Among the pulpit comments at Sunday services were:

The Rev. John E. Charlton, Grace M. E. Church.—"The Chief Executive of our nation violated the feelings of many Christian people by engaging in a purely secular parade and meeting on the Sabbath. It will be injurious to Mr. Taft should he seek a second term."

The Rev. Harvey W. Ewing, D. D., Trinity M. E.—"President Taft has bowed our city with a visit, but, strange to say, has seen fit to come in a way calculated to lessen respect for the day and to set an example of looseness in the observance of the day which cannot help but be productive of bad results among our people."

The Rev. Edward Edie, Memorial Congregational.—"The President of the United States, above all other men, needs to have a regard for God's laws to succeed. The sanctity of Sunday is one of God's oldest and most sacred laws."

William A. Smith, secretary Worcester County Mechanics Association and a member of Grace Church, who in eighty seven years old and who has seen many Presidents, says: "I think it is an insult to the traditions of New England which have always remembered the Sabbath to keep it holy that the President should come to the city as he did."

The circulation of the EVENING AMERICAN is **200,000** more than its next highest competitor and **75,000** more than all the other evening papers of Boston combined.

Conductor's Daughter and Badge She Presented to President Taft

MISS EMILY E. WARDWELL.

As a reminder of the pleasure of having him as their guest at Worcester yesterday, the railroad employes presented President Taft a gold badge. The presentation was made as he finished his speech to the delegates, Miss Wardwell speaking in behalf of the congress of 2,000 men.

PAINTERS OUT FOR NEW WAGE

Thirty-four members of Painters' Union, No. 492, East Boston, are out on strike. Three thousand others, trained and well to enforce their new wage scale that went armed, await to-day for orders to advance into effect today. There are 10 members from General Estrada. The revolution for in the one article.

The new rule of wages provide a weekly minimum of $20 for house painters and tinting on Mondays, is about to break out $22.50 for decorators, as against the old $18.00 and $20.25. The week a overthrow of Madrid, and the wiping out forty-four hour week.

REBELS AWAIT MARCH ORDERS

BLUEFIELDS, Nicaragua, April 4.—the overthrow of President Madriz, checked by the recently which General Chamorro was advancement of Managua, is about to break out again with renewed vigor. The supporters of Estrada have signed new vows for the of the last trace of Zelaya's rule.

Main Aisle, 12 to 2. Restaurant, 5th Floor.

HENRY SIEGEL CO.

Washington and Essex Streets, Boston Mass. Only Strictly Fireproof Store

Every Tuesday Is DOUBLE STAMP DAY HERE

2 S. H. Green Stamps for every 10c you spend all day tomorrow.

Economy Corner Tuesday Specials

Children's $1.50 Wash Dresses..... 89c
Lawn and Percales, in light and dark colorings. Sizes 8 to 14 years. Main Floor.

19c Cotton Crepes, yard..... 8½c
Serpentine weave, in cream and white, 2 to 10 yard lengths, any quantity. Main Floor.

Women's 12½c Summer Vests..... 7c
Summer weight, low neck, sleeveless style, in sizes 4, 5 and 6. Main Floor.

15c to 29c White Lawns yard..... 9c
Persian Lawns and India Linon, 32 inches wide, excellent quality. Main Floor.

1000 Yards Embroidered Allovers
Made on fine Swiss and cambric, in blind eyelet effects so much in demand for waists, gowns, guimpes, etc. Reg. 59c yard..... 24c

Store Opens 9 A. M.—Closes at 6 P. M.

SAILOR SEEKS IRISH ESTATE

Patrick McGurk, forty-one years old, a sailor on the coal barge Rondout at Station's wharf, South Boston, is a claimant to the $300,000 estate of Patrick McGurk of County Armagh, Ireland, who died two years ago.

As far as the claimant knows he was born in the Huddersfield Union Work House, Cross La Mote county, Yorkshire, England, where he was left by a woman who gave him an English penny and some crackers. At an early age he was apprenticed to Carl Magnus Mudsil of Lincolnshire, England, and worked aboard a fishing vessel. Then he ran away and followed the sea, visiting nearly every port of the old world. He came to the United States eight or ten years ago and for a time lived in Philadelphia. Two years ago he sent a letter to Clerk of Guardians Rigby of the workhouse asking for his certificate of birth. On receiving it he left the papers in care of W. H. Thompson, a lawyer at No. 22½ South Eighth street, Philadelphia. He saw the advertisement for the McGurk heirs and it dawned on him that he might be the long-looked-for heir.

MODEST COUNT WOULD ACCEPT AN HEIRESS

NEW YORK, April 4.—Count Rechgraf von Aurperg, Prelhrer of Schonberg and Seisenberg, Erbland marshal and Erbland chamberlain of the Herzogium Krain and of the Windischmark in Austria, and miscellaneous other things, arrived in this city to-day on the Auguste Victoria, not to hunt an American heiress, but willing to take one if he finds the right girl. The Count is twenty-eight years old, highly educated and wealthy. The Count does not speak English, but through an interpreter he said he did not believe in titled foreigners coming here and taking our American heiresses.

"It is not true that I came here to hunt a bride with money," he declared. "In the first place, I did not come to find a wife at all, but the woman I marry must not necessarily have money. The girl I marry must have a heart and education."

MISS LA FOLLETTE TO READ SUFFRAGE PLAY

Miss Fola La Follette, daughter of United States Senator La Follette of Wisconsin, will read the English suffragette play "How the Vote Was Won" before the members of the Ali-Around Club in the new women's gymnasium at Tufts College to-night. Miss La Follette is now in Boston as the guest of the Massachusetts Equal Suffrage League. She will give her readings of this famous play to the young women of Wellesley and Radcliffe colleges in the near future.

SAVE NEGRO FROM MOB.

NEW ORLEANS, La., April 4.—A mob at Monroe, La., which took Simps Wiltz, a negro, away from Mayor-elect Benson of West Monroe and started to hang him was forced to surrender the man to Sheriff Ward of Farmerville.

GIRLS INJURED IN EXPLOSION

CHICAGO, April 4.—Three girls were probably fatally hurt, more than a dozen were injured and seventy fled in a panic on the North Side as the result of an explosion at the Central Steam Laundry.

The injured girls leaped from the windows of the second floor. Those who jumped sustained broken limbs and internal injuries. The cause of the explosion has not been learned.

MAYOR BROOKS INAUGURATED

Mayor William F. Brooks, Democrat, was inaugurated for his second term at Cambridge City Hall to-day. The Rev. Thomas W. Coughlin, rector of the Sacred Heart Church of Mt. Auburn, was chaplain of the inaugural. The oath of office was administered by Justice Charles Almy of the Cambridge Municipal Court. At the sessions of the City Council following, Alderman Edward B. James was elected president in the upper branch and Councilman James N. Coleman in the lower branch.

Mayor Brooks's inaugural address was optimistic. He said that the high-water mark of Cambridge's indebtedness was reached a year ago when the city accounts were closed in March, 1909, showing a total indebtedness of $8,274,397.37, while this year the books show a total indebtedness of $8,062,130.59, or $237,258.18 less than a year ago.

LABOR

With scarcely a dissenting voice, the Boston Central Labor Union to-day is recorded in favor of a Labor Day parade. A committee of fifteen, headed by Michael A. Murphy, has been appointed to make all necessary arrangements for the event, and the Building Trades Department of the C. L. U. is requested to select a like committee to co-operate in the matter. In addition to being given a unanimous renomination yesterday, as were all other officers of the organization, President Murphy established a new record in Boston trade union labor by obligating his daughter, Miss Mary Murphy, of the Clerks' Union, as a delegate to the C. L. U.

Mayor Fitzgerald, with several members of the City Council, and Arthur M. Wellson, secretary of the Carpenters' District Council, will address a smoke talk of Carpenters' Union, No. 33, at Wells Memorial building to-night.

Following a meeting of the four Knights of Labor and one American Federation of Labor trades unions' organizations of Roughan hall, Charlestown, Boston to-day has a new joint trade council pledged to work for the mutual interests of all concerned, the first union meeting ever held formed by the K. of L. and the A. F. of L. in this city.

Miss Pauline Newman of the New York Shirtwaist Makers' Union will speak at the Cambridge home of Mrs. Elizabeth Hughes Wednesday, at the meeting of the Tall Birch C. L. U. Thursday, and at the Congregational Church on Newbury street in this city on Friday.

William Dougherty of Buffalo, international vice-president of the organization, with Edward J. Ryan of this city, a member of the international executive board, will be the principal speakers at a mass meeting of the Brotherhood of Blacksmiths and Helpers in Dudenhoim Hall, No. 45 Eliot street, to-night.

William Johns, international representative, with William H. O'Brien, vice-president of the Boston C. L. U., spoke at a mass meeting of moulders, coremakers and machine operators at Minot Hall, the object of which was to organize the brass-making end of the industry in Boston.

Patrick J. McCarthy, secretary-treasurer of District Assembly No. 30, K. of L., incorporated, has been elected general master workman of the Knights of Labor, to succeed the late Simon Burns of Pittsburg.

Harvard has added a course in printing to its Graduate School of Business Administration for the special training of graduates who intend to enter the printing business.

With less than twenty-five men on the strike roll of Painters' Union, No. 11, to-day, out of the 1,150 members of the organization affected by the demand for higher wages on April 1, the officers of that union declare their strike has resulted in a victory. The new wage scale calls for a weekly minimum of $20 for house painters and $22.50 for decorators, with a forty-four-hour week.

WOMEN TOLD TO CLIP HAIR

Just as the Boston suffragettes are proudly calling attention to the fact that they do not wear their hair short, and that a woman is not a homely crank just because she is a suffragette, there comes rude suggestion that, if they did wear their hair short, it would keep their heads cooler and enable them to think quicker.

This suggestion comes from a New York person signing the initials "E. R. B." The suffragettes are sure that "E. R. B." is a man. No woman, they say, would be so impertinent.

"E. R. B." writes that "decree that women must wear their hair short would not be contrary to precedent, as Peter the Great of Russia had all the peasants caught and shorn, men and women, alike. Then the writer adds:

"Working women lack time, strength and inclination for the necessary shampooing. Hysteria and fainting would be less common as the women find they could be left clear and unencumbered for a cool consideration of the issues which they must wrestle to ever become intelligent voters."

REDMOND FIRM IN LORDS ATTACK

DUBLIN, April 4.—John E. Redmond, head of the Nationalists, addressed a great demonstration at Tipperary; John Dillon [illegible] at Athlone, William O'Brien and Maurice Healy at Millstreet, County Cork.

The speeches of Messrs. Dillon and O'Brien mainly concerned the party dissensions. Mr. Redmond, in an important pronouncement, declared that the budget crisis was only a skirmish, and that the existing situation were absolutely trivial as compared with the success or failure of the attack upon the House of Lords.

GATTI-CASAZZA WEDS PRIMA DONNA ALDA

NEW YORK, April 4.—Signor Giulio Gatti-Casazza, general manager of the Metropolitan Opera Company, and Miss Frances Davis Alda, better known as Madame Alda, one of the opera company's prima donnas, were married in the latter's apartments in the Hotel Astor to-day, and left for Chicago. The ceremony was performed by Judge Charles H. Dayton of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, in the presence of a few friends.

When Alda and Gatti-Casazza left Chicago it was announced about a year ago, but no statement was ever made as to when the marriage would take place.

CAR STRIKES WAGON; DRIVER INJURED

An outward-bound South Boston car collided with a wagon of the Independent Furniture Company on Dorchester avenue and Field's Corner today and threw the driver, Morris Schelski, under the wheels of the wagon. Schelski, who is about forty years old and lives at No. 8 Dunnman street, sustained a contusion of the head and possible internal injuries. He was attended by Dr. H. C. Towle and later taken to the City Hospital.

Personal Items.

MRS. THEODORE P. SHONTS has accepted the presidency of the Women's Division of the Lincoln Memorial work, of which General Thomas Hubbard is president, and President Taft, Vice President Sherman and others are vice-presidents and directors.

MISS ALICE KING, daughter of one of the oldest families in New York, was married to Giorgio Di Grasi, son of Count Ferdinando Di Grasi of Taranto, Italy. Miss King is forty-four and the bridegroom thirty.

GUY BATES POST, the actor, occupied the pulpit of the Prospect Street Unitarian Church of Passaic, N. J., where he preached a lay sermon at the request of the pastor, the Rev. Charles Graves.

BERNICE ALLEN, a pretty show girl in Henry B. Harris's new musical play, "A Skylark," has received an offer of $2,500 for her head of golden brown hair. Her tresses are five feet two inches long.

MR. AND MRS. GEORGE MEYERS, of No. 443 East Eleventh street, New York, have celebrated their golden wedding anniversary by being remarried in Grace Chapel.

HENRY D. CLAYTON, representative in Congress from Alabama, is to be married Saturday to Mrs. Bettie Davis of Georgetown, D. C.

MISS PAULINE DILWORTH, school chum of Miss Helen Frick, is soon to marry George D. Edwards.

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Concerning Mr. Cannon's recent words, so heavy with significance, "If Mr. La Follette and Mr. Cummings are Republicans, then I am not," Mr. Lewis makes this disquieting declaration and prophecy: "They had been talked over and consented to by every trust in the land. They promise new parties, new issues, new lines. The war will be Income Tax against Tariff, Man against Money, West against East."

Among other features are: "THE CRIME OF OUR VANISHED SHIPS," by Lewis Nixon; "WHAT IS TO BECOME OF YOUR BABY?" by G. Stanley Hall; "MEXICO TO-DAY AND TO-MORROW," by Otheman Stevens; "THE ONLY OPERA OCTOPUS," by Pierre Van Rensselaer Key; stories by E. Phillips Oppenheim, Bruno Lessing, Roy Norton, Mary White Slater, etc.

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RED SOX PLAYERS AT MEMPHIS READY TO OPEN SERIES

BOSTON AMERICAN SPORTS

DOVES PRIMED FOR FAST GAMES WITH CHATTANOOGAS

DOVES GET COUPLE OF GIANTS IN TRADE FOR PLAYER BECKER

Manager Fred Lake has made a trade with Manager John J. McGraw of the New York team whereby Herzog and Collins will play with the Doves this season and Boris Becker will join the Giants. Herzog will play third sack for the Doves and Collins in the outfield. Collins came from the Pirate League and has been playing baseball in the south with the New York team headed by Fred Tenney.

By W. H. ROSS.

CHATTANOOGA, Tenn., April 4.—There was some hot news out of the east when the Doves arrived here today to join the training camp. It broke in the first game scheduled for a month here.

Awaiting President Jones' wire in the office that the deal had been made and trying to make what they thought a safe bet on the game through all the losses were to get Herzog and Collins in exchange for Boris Becker.

Just what good this trade will do for the team remains to be seen. In Herzog the Doves get a strong hitter who has been utility man under Manager McGraw for three years and would probably have a little about baseball. It should fill in at the third corner nicely and allow Secrist to be kept at shortstop.

Collins is an outfielder and a promising youngster. He made a record at the bat last year of .293.

Plays Fast Ball.

The Chattanooga team makes its debut in the Southern League this year. Last season it won the South Atlantic League and that success made the patrons of the game in this city clamor for a race with faster company. For this reason the Doves will be forced to extend their strides to hold the southern players in check.

The Chattanooga management has spent, it is said, about $25,000 on the new baseball team and expects it to give Atlanta and New Orleans, both of which have been in the big baseball organization of the South, a neck and neck race for honors.

The Chattanooga club has made a fine showing this spring against all the major leaguers who have stopped off here. It is safe to say that the Doves are not believed to be much inferior to the best of the minor leaguers. Manager Jones' Brooklyn bunch of Southern leaguers last year finished Chattanooga in the cellar, but although they were not much inferior to the champions they were outclassed in the box. Pitching was the one big fault with the team. Many of them tried hard enough but the Federal pitchers had the wisdom and the wisdom said it was against orders to hit the ball. Consequently, who was not trying to come within the pre-season batting average was Schmidt.

Lew Richie Makes Hit.

Walter Taylor, the veteran baseball writer of the Atlanta Journal, had this to say in regard to Richie: "Richie is something of a lineguesser and did not show up any too well in the early ball games, but he has improved wonderfully since the season opened and can hold his own in the company of second well known hooks, among them being Dooin of Philadelphia. You can't fool the Ball You're Missed. A Better Man Than a Strikeout" and Remember the Cubbies a Human Trait. These signs are regarded as authority in the environs of Denver, and they are displayed there in the middle of Summer to turn those thirsty fans into the baseball park. He has been changed around to the crooked corner of the plate and has had all his efforts being on strike to the discomfort of batters.

After the Doves reach Louisville, Manager Fred Lake thinks he can whittle his three pitchers he will use in the opening game down to Boston in order to give them a rest of several days before the season opens. He has not stated who he will use in the box on the initial day of the season, but it is believed that Kirby Curtis and Al Mattern will be the men. Mattern, who came from an unrevealed locality. But if this is the case Manager Lake has not said so.

Pendleton Gondolier, the kid catcher, or Pendleton Gondolier, the kid catcher, or Pendleton Gondolier, are likely to be sent to Boston with the Doves, but Manager Lake selects as third the delivery men will have to show class in order to get a chance to come home for warming up practice. Harlden Gondolier and Bill Burns are farmed out to some Southern club that Ehlis when chased by Lake's pet bird dogs are not lodged for the safari on the Ohio River the way he does.

LANGFORD-BURNS FIGHT BIG FEATURE ON COAST

By W. W. NAUGHTON.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 4.—Matchmaker Sid Hester and his backer, Thomas O'Day, are signing on a San Langford-Tommy Burns contest to take place at Richmond on Labor Day. As ring events go, it is an attractive bout on account of that high class boxing matches are rarely made until after considerable backing and filling, but chances are the promoters will find several obstacles to overcome before they can feel that they have the event clinched.

The cablegram received by the writer from Tommy Burns explains the offer made to Burns:

SYDNEY, Australia, April 3.—W. W. Naughton, Examiner, San Francisco: Authorize you to sign for me Bat Langford, Hester's Club, September 4. Player guarantee $25,000; for me, win, lose, draw. Deposit First National Bank, Oakland, and forward two transportations. Will cable bank $5,000 for appearance in ring. Answer paid. TOMMY BURNS.

So far so good, but now about it if Burns loses to Bill Lang in their fight on the Antipodes on April 15.

O'Day and Hester will scarcely make good on the guarantee until the match learned the result of the Lang-Burns bout, for Burns, if he be whipped by Lang will not be as valuable a card as he is now.

Tommy a Shrewd Lad.

Tommy, who is shrewdness personified will surely notice if there is delay in informing him that the money has been deposited in accordance with his instructions and he will readily divine the reason for the delay.

If he should not hear from the people at this end until after his affair with Lang, and also in the meantime defeated the Australian heavyweight, Burns will in all probability demand a bigger sum for boxing Langford than has already been offered.

Then there is the Lanford side of it. Manager Sid Hester has been working assiduously to other prominent ring men in the hope that he has been able to secure needed fees and allow his opponent to shoulder all the expenses of the match.

Hester and O'Day have declined to do this, but will be forced out to some this time they may find themselves mistaken.

Langford in Limelight.

Langford is well in the limelight now, and the public considers him one of the greatest fighters of the present day. His manager, Joe Woodman, is no fool, and will no doubt want to know all about the terms offered by Burns. Before the information is supplied him, he may take the stand that Langford is at least entitled to as much consideration as the men who was defeated by Jack Johnson in Australia. If should not be hard for Woodman to prove that Langford is an even better card than Tommy Burns to date.

Here is a line of argument he could employ. Supposing a promoter had the offer to sweeten a Johnson-Burns bout and Langford-Johnson match, which would he choose?

Supposing the same promoter had a Ketchel-Langford and Johnson-Burns match to choose from, which would he choose?

Supposing again that Jim Jeffries declared Johnson, after he had defeated Burns one more fight, who would the promoter and the public consider the logical opponent for him if Tommy Burns and Langford were the two champions?

With all respects to Tommy Burns's fighting prowess, the writer knows that by any of the suppositious instances mentioned the promoter would take Langford before Burns.

CHANGE IN CARD AT AMERICAN A. C.

A couple of favorites, Tommy Ryan of East Boston and Johnny Lydon of Charlestown, will meet in the main bout at the American A. C. on Wednesday night in the two-round main event.

Then two of the hottest rivals, Dutch Carr and Joe Stone, will clash for the eight rounds, and all Ronker Hill will be there. Chesley Walcott and Young Parker have been matched on to go for eight rounds also.

COBB PLAYS WEDNESDAY.

MEMPHIS, April 4.—Ty Cobb will play his first game with the Detroit Tigers this season in Louisville Wednesday. Cobb has stood to this effect from Augusta.

As Jeffries Looks at Work on His Farm

HERE YOU BEHOLD NOTHING BUT CLASS.

The BOSTON AMERICAN photographer snapped a woodyard reception scene at Jim Jeffries' Los Angeles home when Jeff was entertaining Ed. Walsh of the Chicago White Sox, the greatest spit-ball art ist in the baseball world. Jeff is sitting and Walsh standing.

Life and Battles of Jim Jeffries---No. 13

By TAD.

CHAPTER XVIII.

Every man in the West, possibly including Jim Jeffries himself, excepting Billy Delaney, thought it was all off as far as championship aspirations went with Jeffries when he failed to stop Ruhlin in their first battle.

Of course, Ruhlin was a big fellow, a giant, but it was known that Madden had only recently taken him from a factory in Akron and that he knew next to nothing about the finer points of the game. But he had given Jeffries a great battle, held him in twenty furious rounds, and been declared a good man as the best he had ever bruised by the referee. This was one of the most discouraging events in the public life of the boilermaker.

So much to heart did Jeffries take the practical defeat that he thought for some time of quitting the ring for good and going back to his sledge-wielding in Los Angeles. For days after the fight he refused to even talk about the bout, declared that he was through with the game forever and knew that he had always been a false alarm.

Had Ruhlin succeeded in getting a decision over the boilermaker it would have made no difference to Delaney. He had all along held that Jeff was not a champion at that time, unless given a chance in a finish fight.

As Jeffries began to show again Delaney advised that he take a rest, forget fighting and go into the hills after game. So fond was the big fellow of the open air life of the hills that after game that it was said of him that he would get out of the office in Los Angeles and go to the hills with a gun if he heard the call. This it was said his manager's advice fell upon eager ears.

Although he had not had a glove on for weeks, so greatly had he been benefited by the rest that Jeff seemed a new man. He was as full of life as a young colt, happy and never had more confidence in his ability to beat the world.

"Jim," asked Delaney the morning after Jeffries's return to the strenuous work of getting into condition to fight, "do you think you can beat Joe Choynski?"

"Yes," was the answer.

"Do you want to fight him?" asked Delaney.

"Sure," was the reply.

"Then he will be the next man you meet," declared the manager.

While Choynski was ever willing to fight and didn't care particularly whom he met, he seemed to think that not enough credit would be aroused by a fight with Jeffries to make it worth his while.

The bout took place in San Francisco, too, and was called a draw. It was another good season for Jeffries. At the end of the bout, he had the good sense to realize that he had aroused enough ducking the twenty rounds to make it worth his while.

After the fight Choynski told the writer that Jeffries was the "toughest hitter he had ever met."

In one of the early rounds Jeffries slammed home three terrific left of his. The punch was half a swing, and it caught Choynski square on the point of the jaw. Choynski was fifteen feet in an instant, good fortune having saved him from a sure knockout.

In talking about that punch Choynski said that he had never been hit harder or faster. After he had resumed fighting he kept wondering how he had managed to weather the punch, and to this day he is not able to account for it.

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BIKE SPILLS AT TRACK OPENING

NEWARK, April 4.—Nineteen riders went down in a sensational spill at the opening of bicycle racing at the Newark motordrome in the feature event, a five-mile unamteur race, won by Courtney Peer of Newark, in 11m. 53s. Nobody was badly hurt.

Bedell and Drobach were injured in a spill, caused by Rupprecht, who crowded Bedell into Drobach. Rupprecht went down but was not hurt. He was penalized with a thirty-day suspension. The event, the one-mile professional race, was won by Charles Schilt of Brooklyn with a seventy-five-yard handicap in 1m. 33 2-5s.

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OLDFIELD MAKES NEW MILE RECORD

LOS ANGELES, April 4.—Barney Oldfield broke the one-mile American track record over the new board track here this afternoon when he drove his Blitzen Benz a mile in 36 2-5 seconds as against Strang's mile in 37.02, made at Atlanta last October. C. H. Warner, official timer of the American Auto Association, was one of the clockers. Oldfield used the same car with which he drove the world's fastest mile at Daytona, Florida, two weeks ago. The champion predicts he will cover a mile here in 35 seconds during the motordrome open meet next Friday.

LAWRENCE BOXING CLUB TO OPEN UP

LAWRENCE, April 4.—The Unity Club of this city will re-open on next Thursday night with four boxing bouts. The feature contest of the meet will be a twelve-round match between Young Limrick of Haverhill and Fighting Eddie Kennedy of Lawrence. The preliminary matches are between local boys who are fast and clever boxers. The club has been remodelled and will afford the members plenty of sport for the remainder of the season.

SPEED BOYS TO GIVE MEMPHIS TEAM BATTLE

By A. H. C. MITCHELL.

MEMPHIS, Tenn., April 4.—All heads are now in line, and are ready for work today, but severe rains recently made the turf very soft.

As the Red Sox arrived the Detroit Tigers departed. Our fellows joined up from the depot in a big excursion bus and on their way to the hotel passed a big bus containing the Detroit players. The Tigers let out a mighty yell as they spied the Speed Boys, and the yell was returned with interest. No one this side of the American League are such bitter rivals as the Detroits and Bostons. These high yells were defiance and they meant as plainly as any words could say: "Just wait till we meet you on the diamond."

Tigers in Poor Shape.

Wild Bill Donovan, the great Tiger pitcher, was at the hotel when our boys arrived. He said the Tigers were in bad shape. Ty Cobb has not yet reported, but is expected to-morrow at Nashville. Crawford is big fat and in no shape to open the season. The club has been split up into two teams which are barnstorming around the country much to the disgust of the players themselves. Jennings is said to be much disappointed in the training trip, and has frankly acknowledged that he made a serious mistake in his training plans this Spring.

He does not expect his team to get an early start as it did last Spring which will make it all the harder for the team to win the pennant again.

The Boston boys were mighty glad to get away from Hot Springs, not that they disliked the training camp, but they had enough of it for one session, and were hankering for new atmosphere. Memphis is a metropolitan city with flaring electric signs at night that beat anything Boston has. There are plenty of shows here from the nickel kind up to the vaudeville and the higher class performances, all of which will give the boys something to amuse them, the three nights they are to spend here.

Team's Real Work Ahead.

From now on the Boston team should be able to work up gradually for the opening of the season. Good weather is all that is needed, so that they can get the proper amount of work. The remaining exhibition games are nicely arranged. There is none scheduled for to-day but to-morrow the Red Sox line up against the Memphis team, and again on Wednesday. Then they go to Nashville as an overjump for two games, after which they move on to Cincinnati, playing there Saturday and Sunday. This is a very satisfactory arrangement—the best the Boston boys have ever had on a Spring training trip.

Chris Speaker joined the team again as the train passed through Little Rock. Little Chris, as they did not own up at Memphis, but continued on to Indianapolis, where he will be in Cincinnati when the Speed Boys get there on Saturday. Manager Carrigan's ready to-day has old Phil at second base, so French's services will not be required. Manager McConnell and Gardner is on hand to take his place.

Manager Carrigan, Manager McConnell and Stahl had quite a talk in the hotel lobby this morning while the rain fell. The whole ground was gone over, and the managers at this hotel decided on a policy to be pursued in the championship games. The whole scheme got out and fun was also gone over, and if their plans materialize there will be considerable more of a game pitched by the Boston team than heretofore attempted.

Among other things it is proposed that if a man reaches second he must watch the batter and if nothing new and peculiar and if he signs for a curve ball, he chances completely off his feet, throws half way across the ring and landed on the side of his face on the floor. He was on his feet in an instant, good fortune having saved him from a sure knockout.

In talking about that punch Choynski said that he had never been hit harder or faster. After he had resumed fighting he kept wondering how he had managed to weather the punch, and to this day he is not able to account for it.

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FITZGERALD TO BOX SULLIVAN

Two slugging middleweights, Jack Fitzgerald of Philadelphia and Tim Sullivan of Newburyport, will be the pair to meet in the main bout at the Unity A. C., Howard, on Friday night. Fitzgerald made a hit at the club when he beat Tom Sawyer a few weeks ago, and is going to show what to expect from him. Pat Doherty of Lynn will be the referee. Two good preliminaries are on the card.

WRESTLING AT REVERE.

Adams DeVine of Boston will wrestle Young Demetrio of Charlestown at the Revere Theatre, Revere Beach, Thursday evening, best two out of three falls. Quite a little interest is being shown by the fans and a good big crowd is expected.

BOSTON BOXERS SHOW TONIGHT IN NEW YORK

Jack Twin Sullivan, the popular Cambridge boxer, mixes with Sailor Burke at the Marathon A. C. of Brooklyn to-night. These boxers fought about a year ago before the same club and the New York papers disagreed as to the result, some picking Sullivan, while others picked the sailor. Figuring on the dope of both of these boys, it looks as if Sullivan will win the bout, and, according to Mike Twin Sullivan, his brother will win the bout by a K. O. Burke has been offered a match with Klaus if he should win.

Porky Flynn, the Boston boxer, makes his first trip away from home for a match when he meets Jim Savage in a ten-round bout at the National Sporting Club of New York to-night. Savage has heard quite a little about the Boston light heavyweight, and his interest who every Sailor Burke has been enough to sacrifice him that he will have a tough customer to handle. If Flynn wins, his manager, Tom Foley, will go right after the big fellow.

Jimmy Walsh, the bantam champion, will go twelve rounds at Schenectady to-night with Young Britt. Jimmy defeated Britt once before in a fifteen-round bout in Baltimore.

Jimmy Gardner is training hard for his fight with Frank Klaus in the Armory A. A. on April 12 at Tom Murray's Sunnyside Park, near Natick. Sandy Ferguson is also there working on the mitts.

Stanley Ketchel, who will meet Sam Langford at the National A. C. of Philadelphia, will train at the Woodlawn Inn, on upper Jerome avenue, New York. Ketchel, who was injured in his recent fight with Klaus, is coming around in fine shape, and will be as strong as ever in a week or so.

Pal Moore and Patsy Kline will most likely be matched in a few days for a bout before the Empire A. C.

Ray Bronson, who has made a great many friends in Boston, will most likely be given a chance to show his worth to the New York fans. The National A. C. is trying to arrange a bout for him at their club in the near future. Bronson looks good for a chance at the crack Indianapolis lightweight, and it will without doubt give him a hard battle.

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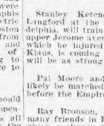

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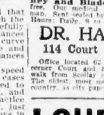

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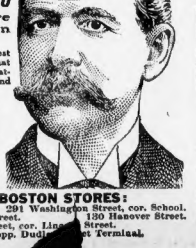

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This Very New Mother-in-Law Showed Wisdom

By WINIFRED BLACK

THE new mother-in-law laughed, and then she sighed—just a little.

"Daughter's in trouble," she said. "You know, they weren't married six months till son-in-law had to pull up stakes and go to a new town and a new business.

"Daughter was rather pleased. She tried not to show it too much, but I think she was pleased, just the same. She said she just how she was going to be all in all to son-in-law.

"He will miss his friends here," she said, 'and at the office, and I must make it up to him. I'm going to get a home and ride with him every evening so that he won't have to go alone.' And every play golf together after a certain hour. I'll not devote my whole time to making him happy.'

"This morning I got a letter from her. She wants to come home on a visit and leave son-in-law alone in his new business in the new town, with nobody to make it up for him.

"Do you know what's happened? I can see it as plain as day.

"Son-in-law was loved to death with his wife at its elbow every minute. And when one of his old friends showed up he was so delighted to see him that he forgot all about daughter and daughter's devotion and went riding and golfing with his friend and acted ten years younger, and so much happier that poor daughter's poor little heart is out about broken.

"She thinks son-in-law doesn't love her any more, or that he never really loved her at all. Poor little girl. I do wish men wouldn't set such a pace when they're courting, and get a girl, used to thinking that they don't want anybody or anything on earth but her. It's such a shock, when she wakes up to find that a man cannot be happy without other men, no matter how much he is in love with his wife.

"A woman can give up every friend she has in the world, forget that she ever knew any one or heard of any one but her husband, and be perfectly happy if she and all-in-all here all the time.

"Put a man on a desert island with Venus de Milo and in two days he'd have the time of his life, because there was one man there to go fishing with him. And poor Venus would think that man's long dreary was over forever, when really there was nothing the matter with love at all except the man in the case.

"What am I going to do with daughter? I'm going to take her home and we shall have a good time with her old friend and let husband miss her a while. It will be good for both of them.

"It is a part of the fault with the man is just a grown-up child, and the smile or his childish love of manhood and flattery, instead of crying over it, I wonder if the two quarrel in how could anything like the truth.

The Human Passions—No. 1—Greed

By NELL BRINKLEY

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And on the Bench, that hugs its four arms round the old tree, there's your merry miser, who is unwilling to share her wealth of men with the others

HEREWITH begins the chronicle of the human passions with a foolish little pie for each one. For Love—the first kind of love? For Envy—the worst kind that shakes its way muddily through this dirty life of ours? For and for Greed—the very closest, crudest kind that the Britishes can think on.

"Pooh!" says your Britkin, squaring herself with four fingers and a thumb on her pie-lined bib, "that's not a pie of a miser. That blue-black thing in shadows with the scrawny old table in the middle, with the feeble, dancing flame of a candle, like a yellow single maple leaf flickering in the wind, making a miserable little space of light over the old wench's head! Hm, scarred and as ancient as a crumbling wreck on the shifting sands of the awful green sea bottom, snow-bearded, chinching, gasping, clawing and cooing over his little pile of glitter heaped round the stick of the candle, glaring like a horror over his shoulder into the blue-black shadow—um-m-m—is that a miser?

"Nope? It ain't?

"Make a merrier pie than that. Spring a-crackling, crisp blue sky overhead, the new green under foot, new sweet earth in the old last-year's flower beds; the puckery, thin smell of hosts of buds bending every branch and bush; the friendly old robin in the red 'wescent' back from the South; the blackbird, with his polished passementerie back, waddling through the cool, grateful grass; the song of the hoe and the trowel and the spade in the fleecy air. There's your setting.

"And on the bench, the old bench new painted that hugs its four arms round the waist of the old tree—there's your merry miser. There's your greedy Gretchen! Just a girl, with sea-poppy yellow hair, with wicked, brown-velvet eyes, Spring-poppy lips, her Spring 'bonnit' over one eye, cavalier fashion, and all the world—*hers!*

"For all the world's a man sometimes. And all the world lovers round her, beams on her, grins at the touch of her pink forefinger—even gets on one knee, a most wretched pose, for her. And the other maids may wander as they please.

"What's Spring without a lover at your heels? What's in a day when the blue sky's arching overhead without a lot closing round a maid's hand and love's litany in her ears?

"So the lonely maids glower and stub their toes in the merry grass!

"Here's Greed for you—it's a merrier greed than the other—but it's monster—on my little white soul!" NELL BRINKLEY.

Spring Fever—and Some Hints on Comfort

By BEATRICE FAIRFAX.

THESE first Spring days put joy into our hearts, but, physically, they are most depressing.

A shoe that has been perfectly comfortable for weeks now feels three sizes too small.

Children suffer because they are too warmly dressed, and yet the careful mother fears to run any risk by any change of dress. The thing to do is to be guided each day, but not to remove all flannel.

Change the heavy Winter underclothing for lighter weight.

Take off the Winter hood for good; it will not be needed again.

See that the children's shoes are large enough, remembering that the little feet are never at rest from morning until night.

Some Hints for the Change

Change your own stockings every day, and at night bathe your feet in warm water in which a tablespoonful of borax has been dissolved.

If you wear large enough shoes, and a loose corset, you will not suffer greatly from the Spring change.

We all feel the first warm days of Spring more than the heat of Summer. Eat lightly and drink plenty of water. If you have a dog, see that there is always a pan of water where he can get at it.

Put a five-cent bar of sulphur in the water that is dogdie's Spring tonic.

All women want to have small feet, and with that end in view, they squeeze their feet into shoes much too small.

Nature will not stand the insult, and she revenges herself by producing all sorts of foot troubles.

Wear a shoe that is long enough and wide enough, and forget your vanity. If the shoe is neat, the size makes little difference.

It is very poor economy to persist in wearing an uncomfortable shoe.

Mothers should take particular care in buying shoes for the children to see that they do not squeeze the tender little feet out of shape.

Enlarged joints come from tight shoes. Don't wear tight corsets.

A famous dressmaker told me, not long ago, that well-dressed women no longer lace.

"It is not the fashion to have a wasp waist," she said, "and women have grown very sensible regarding their corsets."

Every bit of work is an exertion these days. To be out of doors, and just sit and look at the growing things, is about all one feels up to.

An Appeal to Shoppers

If you have Spring shopping to do, be merciful to the girl behind the counter. She is on her feet all day, and you know how feet feel these days.

"Spring fever" is a disease of many symptoms.

It makes people irritable; it makes them lack pep and long for outdoors; it makes sentimental young people fall in love; it makes a general havoc.

And yet, in spite of it all, Spring is the time of year that every one loves best—poets, children, sober-headed men and women; they all love it.

Too Expert to Raise Vegetables

By KENNETT HARRIS

SOME of us Bibberly Heighters are gardeners and some of us aren't, but we all take more or less interest in gardens, if only to condemn the folly of their owners.

Our real expert horticulturist is Griffin. If you decide to throw in your lot or lots with ours and become a member of our progressive little community and think you would like to raise your own vegetables and chickens, we'll introduce you to Griffin and he will be glad to give you all the pointers that are necessary. We always steer our newcomers against Griffin. I was made known to him before the plaster of our bungalow was dry. It was going down on the train.

I said, "I understand from Mr. Patsay that you can tell me how I'd better start my garden. He says you know just what will grow in Bibberly and what won't."

He is a quiet, serious sort of a man, Griffin. He answered in a very serious tone. "Burdock will grow, also thistles and milkweed."

I laughed. "I suppose so," I said, "but——"

"You will have no success whatever with rubber trees or grape fruit," he assured me. I laughed again.

"But, joking apart," I said, "you have made a good deal of garden in the suburb, haven't you?"

He Tells His Experience

"I have," he replied. "If you want to know about my garden I'll tell you," he continued. "When I first came here I bought an acre and a quarter of ground, and I made up my mind that I would put it all into garden. I was convinced that the exercise of digging and planting and weeding would do me good, and that the expense of our household would be materially lightened by my labors."

"That's about the way I figure it," I said.

He nodded. "Well, I am a thorough sort of a man," he went on. "When I go into a thing I go into it neck over ears. I am something of an enthusiast, don't you know. I told myself that I wouldn't garden in haphazard ignorance, but would proceed scientifically to learn what was necessary. I did so, and I think that as a result I know more about the garden than the average man, at least.

"I bought a cow, to begin with, and some chickens and a pig. I learned the difference between a poor cow and a good one, and posted myself on forage, crops and cuttage. I didn't get to the point of building a silo, but I studied the subject, as I say, so that if you want to under-stand anything of the kind I can be of material assistance to you, I am sure."

He Became an Expert

"You're very kind," I said, "but I hadn't contemplated——"

"It was, of course, necessary for me to know something about the bacterial diseases of plants," Griffin resumed. "I accordingly learned about 'em. I studied soils and fertilizers. I paid particular attention to pasteurization in butter making and pure cultures in the manufacture of cheese. I interested myself in fruit trees, so it was necessary for me to inform myself concerning crops for orchards, transplantation, root grafting, girdling grape vines, cross pollination of plums, the codling moth and——"

I interrupted him. "Do you mind if I lower this window?" I asked. "I seem to feel the need of air."

"Not at all," he answered, politely. "I was going to say that with a view of realizing the largest possible profit from my live stock I went into the subject of poultry pretty deeply. I read up on pig feed—Jerusalem artichokes, cotton seed, cow peas, sweet potatoes, corn and alfalfa.

"Of course I couldn't raise a great deal of alfalfa on an acre and a quarter with the other things, but I then thought very seriously of buying another acre or two adjoining, don't you see? Then I had my beef producing feed to consider. Of course one can't do much in the gardening line without a green house, and there was heating and sub-watering to be thought of in that connection."

An Authority on Lettuce

"Naturally," I murmured.

"I feel that I am quite an authority on the forcing of lettuce," he proceeded, "also rhubarb. As to soils, it takes some time, of course, to determine how much organic nitrogen, ammonia, phosphoric acid, superphosphate or potash may be necessary to equalize their component parts—if you understand me.

"Now Bibberly has a sandy loam naturally well drained, but run down, and the application of lime is indicated, as the doctors say. Magnesian lime, which you will hear spoken of as highly detrimental, is really the best. If your garden seems to require a nitrogenous fertilizer——"

Here we came to Bibberly Heights, and Patsay telephoned us. We all walked together from the station to Baltimore avenue, and as we went Griffin impressed on me the advisability of buying a spare and angular cow in preference to one with flesh producing tendencies. He gave an estimate of eight thousand odd pounds of milk at a cost of thirty dollars, and was figuring on butter, when we came to a little Queen Anne cottage knife-bladed in between a colonial mansion and a dinky Doric dream in stucco—about fifty feet of frontage, I should say.

"I leave you here," said Griffin, extending his hand. "This is my place."

When Patsay Giggles.

"But where's your garden?" I gasped. "I thought you had an acre and a quarter?"

"Well, I came to the conclusion that I wouldn't raise a garden after all," replied Griffin. "There seemed to be so much to it that I felt discouraged and sold what land I didn't need at a profit of 40 per cent. I buy my vegetables from old Joe Sibley now. He's all right if you don't let him impose on you. I'd recommend you to do the same."

Patsay turned away and giggled.

"If you really prefer to garden, and want any information or advice," concluded Griffin in his very serious manner, "just you come to me. I've got more of it than you can shake a stick at."

And that's the kind of a horticulturist Griffin is.

TO-DAY'S BEST STORY

THE lady who knew the past, present and future history of every resident in the village had been sitting in the Smiths' best room for a very long while, drinking tea and breathing scandal; but at last the wonderful quietness and good behavior of the hostess's little daughter forced itself upon her notice. The youngster had been sitting as still as a mouse all the time.

"You are a nice, quiet little girl," said the visitor. "I wish to goodness my little girls behaved as well as you do. They can't sit still a moment. Come and sit on my lap, darling."

"Thank you," said the little one, soberly, "but I mustn't."

"Mustn't? Why on earth do you say you mustn't, child?"

"Well, you see, I've got to sit here all the time, 'cos to hide the hole in this chair."

Fun from the Jokesmiths

WHY HE'S SO POOR

"He is very poor, is he not?"

"Yes, very poor."

"Does he drink?"

"Now! Say, if Opportunity were to knock at his door and ask him to come out and take something, he wouldn't do it."—Boston Post.

FOLLOWED DIRECTIONS

Knicker—Don't you find the subway tiring?

Uncle Rube—Yep; them "Use All Doors" signs keep me busy hoppin' in and out.—New York Sun.

CAN'T PLEASE EVERYBODY

What's the use? If money isn't filthy lucre, it's the root of all evil or gets laden, and if it's none of these, it's dross. What's the use?—Philadelphia Inquirer.

GOING, GOING—

Doctor—Your temperature is up to 103! Auctioneer—Ridiculous—Hundred and three. Who'll make it a hundred an' four?—Syracuse Post Standard.

STRANGER THAN FICTION

Not many years ago a certain English bishop went down to Exeter to make a speech on temperance. In the course of his observations he happened to remark:

"I was never drunk in my life!"

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WHEELOCK-MACOMBER WEDDING OPENS WEEK OF SOCIETY NUPTIALS

BY ELIZABETH ELLIOTT.

THE second week of the post Lenten season, like the first, opens with a wedding as one of the events which the smart ones will number among their diversions, and as there will be at least two other nuptials before the week draws to a close, the coming six days stand in excellent chance of filling the work that has just gone with its two important weddings.

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To-day's whitest wedding, when Miss Constance Frothingham Wheelock, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Wheelock, becomes the bride of Frank Carr Macomber, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gate Macomber of No. 505 Beacon street, will be a very quiet affair and will take place at St. Mary's Church in Harvard street, Cambridge, at noon. The bride's only attendant will be Miss Molly Sheafe, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Sheafe of Chestnut Hill, and the best man will be Mayhew Bolles Macomber of Irving avenue, who was a classmate of the bride-groom at Harvard, class of 1910. Mr. Macomber is the only son of the Frank Gate Macomber of Commonwealth avenue. The bride is a sister of Mrs. Paul Fitzpatrick (Alice Wheelock) of Brookline. She has two brothers, William and Edward Wheelock. The wedding party will be met over the customary white satin, there will be a small reception at the house after the bride's parents, and they will also give the bride a luncheon on the day before at dinner in the evening. On their return from their wedding trip the pair will go to Marblehead, for the remainder of the Summer, at least.

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Bostonians who are members of the Washington colony during the little season are actively interested in the special pageantry of The White House, when Miss Viola Allen is presenting at the National Theatre. This is the eighth week of a week's performances, and the entire theatre party which has been given by Mrs. Mark Elizabeth Crowell for the benefit of St. Catherine's Guild, a society for self-supporting women, under the direction of the Sisters of Mercy. A large number of society maids and matrons are notable patronesses for the affair. Among the most prominent are Mr. and Mrs. Charleston Brown, Mrs. Hugh Nathan, Mr. and Mrs. Francis B. Crowninshield, Count and Countess Moltke, Count and Countess Moltke-Huitfeldt, Mr. and Mrs. Chase Mellen, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sprague Sargent, Mrs. Perry Belmont, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Sturgis, Mrs. Lyman Rutherfurd, Mrs. Stanley Matthews and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Roosevelt. Among the others who have taken boxes for the opening performance were Mr. and Mrs. William R. Merriam, who will be accompanied by their two daughters, Miss Laura Merriam and Mrs. Robin T. Wheelwright; Senator and Mrs. William Murray Crane, Miss Mabel Boardman, Mr. and Mrs. William Beard man and Mr. and Mrs. Lars Anderson.

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Eugene Wellington Pierce of Mt. Vernon street, Cambridge, is enjoying an extended visit from his son, Bayard Pierce of the Continental. He was board from recently at trip to Portland, having arrived from Buenos Ayres. Foreigners and Algiers. Mr. Pierce has been absent for three years of Chicago and Eugene Tomlinson of this city. The party is to be joined by Mrs. Wilbur Conary before the fix for of next month.

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Mr. and Mrs. William Lowell Putnam and their family are expected in town in the course of a few months abroad. The Putnams sailed for the Mediterranean from Naples soon after their arrival, they will cross their country home on the North Shore, where they usually spend their Summers.

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Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Chipman Gray of Beacon street have been in New York over the week-end and have been extensively entertained. They are stopping at the Hotel Waldorf.

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DEATH NOTICES

CASELDEN—In East Boston, April 2, William, beloved husband of Catherine E. Caselden (nee Moran).

Funeral from his late residence, 230 Benning ton st., Tuesday, at 8:30 a. m., thence to St. Mary's at the Church of the Sacred Heart at 9 a. m. Relatives and friends are invited to attend. Burial at Holy Cross Cemetery.

McCARTNEY—In Charlestown, April 2, Priscilla, beloved husband of the late Alexander McCartney.

Funeral from his late residence, 20 Pearl st., Tuesday, April 5, at 2:30 p. m. Services at the Church of the Redeemer, Chestnut st., at 3 o'clock. Relatives and friends invited to attend. Kindly omit flowers.

WILLIAMS—In Boston, April 3, Mary J., widow of Joseph.

Funeral notice at calendar Tuesday at 9. Kindly omit flowers.

CONNOLLY—In Dedham, April 2, John J., beloved husband of Margaret (Hagerty) and son of the late Patrick and Ellen Connolly.

Funeral from his late residence, 25 Bridge st., Dedham, on April 5, at 8:30 a. m., thence to St. Mary's Church, Dedham, at 9 o'clock. Relatives and friends invited to attend.

JOHNSON—In this city, April 2, Gustava A., wife of Otto A. Johnson, aged 49 years, 10 months.

Funeral services at the Waterman chapel, 2328 Washington st., Roxbury, on Tuesday at 2 o'clock. Interment private. Kindly omit flowers.

MELENDY—In East Boston, April 4, Sydney H., aged 2 years, son of Harold and Mildred Melendy.

Funeral from his late residence, 280 Maverick street, Wednesday at 2 o'clock. Relatives and friends are requested to attend. Springfield, Mass., papers please copy.

TILLY—In Newton Upper Falls, April 3, Catherine, beloved wife of Michael Tilly, aged 57 years.

Funeral from her late residence, 17 Abbott st., Newton Upper Falls, at 8:30 a. m. Requiem high mass at St. Mary's church at 9 o'clock. Relatives and friends are invited to attend.

SMITH—In Newton, April 3, Calderin, beloved wife of Thomas Smith.

Funeral from her late residence, 22 Chandler st., Tuesday, April 5, at 8 a. m., thence to high mass at the Church of Our Lady at 9 o'clock. Relatives and friends are invited to attend.

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WANTED—Situation as capable, reliable, trustworthy man as cleaner of all kinds, man, on gentleman's estate, wife and child. Protestant. Address CAPTAIN, 80 Commonwealth avenue.

EXPERIENCED couple, man, office, horse, window cleaning, floors waxed, woman, laundress, cook, wants position; can furnish the best of references. 0 580, Boston American.

SITUATION WANTED by young man as chauffeur; has good reference; 2 years' experience. 0 322 Boston American.

EXPERIENCED chauffeur wants work; can furnish best of references. 0 PETERSEN, 94 Bay State road.

WANTED—Situation as capable, reliable, trustworthy man as cleaner of all kinds, man, on gentleman's estate, wife and child. Protestant. Address CAPTAIN, 80 Commonwealth avenue.

WANTED—Position as traveling salesman for wholesale house. Address C. C. WILSON, P. O. Box 1, Boston.

YOUNG MAN 24 yrs. old wants situation in quiet location; two years' experience in Manchester, Eng., and best of references. Address H. 127, Boston American.

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AGENTS—Look here! We have the best selling proposition on the market. Call at 1 DEAN'S NOVELTY CO., Dept. A, P. O. Box 1, Boston.

AGENTS, side line or exclusive; investigate; WONDERFUL LITTLE DEVICE; sells at sight; enormous profits. KENDALL, Box 780, Manchester, N. H.

AGENTS WANTED to sell stitching photograph buttons; big profits. STUDIO 114 Court st., Boston.

AMAZING ANNIVERSARY, can start a profitable mail order business; unlimited chance for profits; booklet FREE. BEACOCK, 162 Lockport, N. Y.

BAND CRAFT needed, best for general agents; 100 per cent profit; sample 10c. BAND CRAFT, Box 118, Boston.

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SALESMEN—$50 a week taking orders from dealers for Gillette razors. Exclusive territory. KENDALL, Box 780, Manchester, N. H.

SALESMEN wanted to sell and drive one-horse delivery wagon; $15 weekly and expenses. KENDALL, Box 780, Manchester, N. H.

Female Help Wanted.

COOK—Experienced cook must have references. Apply WORK HOUSE, 207 Bunker Hill street, Charlestown.

Wanted—50 Experienced Stitchers

on heavy paper goods; steady employment. FREDERICK CATE, Elmwood st., Weymouth.

ORDER, paper cuts $12; waitress $7 week; 2 chambermaids, $6; 2 kitchen girls, $5. MISS FINN, 38 Warrenton st.

WANTED—Experienced cook and housework; also second girl and Waschen's terrace, Brookline, st. of Harvard sq.

Female—Miscellaneous.

LEARN DRESSMAKING or millinery at HOWARD'S, 25 Winter st., Boston. Tel. 1500 Sunday 3426.

LEARN dressmaking; dress, party dresses, $5; waists, $2; skirts, $3. MISS DU BOIS, 1365 Tremont st.

THE BROADWAY CO., 93 Broadway, Somerville, wants experienced operators on ladies' tailored suits and coats.

Female Situations Wanted.

A CAPABLE WOMAN would like position as housekeeper; can act as general housework, will go in the country; is a good cook; best of city reference. Address D. M., 870 Mass. av., Cambridge, Mass.

A LADY of experience desires your laundry work; will call for family washings; your work will be done right; prices reasonable; terms by the week. Address E. M. C., 13 Goodrich st., Gloucester, Mass.

A REFINED American widow, 30 yrs., thoroughly trustworthy and competent, desires a position as housekeeper in a gentleman's family. Address E. M. C., 13 Goodrich st., Gloucester, Mass.

A YOUNG colored woman desires laundry work to take home; can do good work; good reference; will speaks for itself; will give two entire satisfaction; reasonable prices. Call or address 1 Hancock st., Boston.

A YOUNG colored woman wants steady position as chamber maid, city or suburbs; to come home nights; can furnish good reference; will go out of city. A. D., 78 Magee st., Cambridge, 02139.

AMERICAN LADY of refinement and experience wants home with refined family; will assist in care of children, sew and do light housework; is a good cook; will not object to laundry work at home; capable of taking full charge of home. Address H. POWELL, 117 Hastings st., Cambridge.

A YOUNG LADY wants position as companion, housekeeper, nurse, seamstress, dressmaker, waitress, or anything in a refined family; is a good cook; best of city reference. ALDRICH, P. O. Box 2294.

ALL-AROUND colored girl wants good no home; can furnish best of references. Address 1 Hancock st., Boston.

AMERICAN, Protestant, cook, first-class, all around, wants position; best of city reference. Address 1 Hancock st., Boston.

FIRST-CLASS LAUNDRESS would like work by the day; best of city reference. Address L. L., 1 Hancock st., Boston.

AN EXPERIENCED woman wants position as housekeeper in widower's family; is reliable and will look after children. Address H. 118 Hastings st., Cambridge.

A FIRST-CLASS sewing machine operator or finisher wants work by the day; best of city reference. MRS. BERMAN, 274 Bay State road, Boston.

AN EXPERIENCED LAUNDRESS wants work by the day; best of city reference. Address L. L., 1 Hancock st., Boston.

A CAPABLE young woman would like work by the day; is a good cook; best of city reference. Address 1 Hancock st., Boston.

A SMART, reliable colored girl wants work; is a good cook; best of city reference. Address 1 Hancock st., Boston.

A MISSES' TABLE WITH 4 extension drawers, 4 ft. 6 in. long, 3 ft. 6 in. wide, for sale cheap; keeper's position in widower's family; is small child; good reference. Address H. 118 Hastings st., Cambridge.

A MIDDLE-AGED American lady would like position as housekeeper in widower's family; is small child; good reference. Address H. 118 Hastings st., Cambridge.

MRS. ADAMS 691 Tremont st., Boston, wants by the day, work cleaning rooms; terms $1.50 a day; will do washing; good reference.

A COLORED GIRL would like position as housework; is a good cook; best of city reference. H 118 Hastings st., Cambridge.

A CAPABLE young woman would like work by the day; is a good cook; best of city reference. Apply MRS. JENNING, 47 Bowdoin st., Boston.

A GRADUATE NURSE, 3 years' experience, wants work by the day. Call 2 Dix pl., Boston.

A YOUNG colored girl wants work; understands kitchen work. Address 1 Hancock st., Boston.

A 17-YR. GIRL wants work by the day; best of city ref. 0 580, Boston American.

Male Help Wanted.

FIREMEN and brakemen on newly organized railroad; experience unnecessary; wages $75 to $100 monthly; no strike; permanent employment; railroad now building. Write for application blank. RAILROAD ASSOCIATION, care G 2502, Boston.

FORWARDERS on floors; work experienced; $12 to $15 weekly. EDWARD S. HOLT, Personal st.

FOREMAN, experienced in ship fitting; references must be given. P. O. box 3315, Boston.

$18—WANTED to start you in good steady business on your spare time; no canvassing; experience unnecessary; we furnish capital; particulars FREE. NEW ENGLAND AUTO CO., 508 Tremont st., Boston.

WANTED—Butcher; one experienced in cutting and trimming; Eastern Connecticut; steady job; can average over $20 a week. Address BUTCHER, Box 1, Hyde Park, Mass. Apply to 1 Hancock st., Boston.

WANTED—Experienced spreader and operator on rubber coats; permanent; men and women. Apply to MANUFACTURING CO., 6 Bennington st., Jamaica Plain.

WANTED—Men for trucks, steady work; good wages. MIDDLESEX LINEN MILLS, Lowell, N. H.

WANTED—Horseshoer and rubber; permanent; 12 seeker sent to the shop to test time; very best wages. Apply to 1 Hancock st., Boston.

WANTED—Machinists and "strapper and finisher" on leather belting. Apply to C. J. RAPID-FIRE GUN & POWER CO., Dover, N. H.

Male Miscellaneous.

ANYONE, ANYWHERE, can start a profitable mail order business; unlimited chance for profits; particulars. BEACOCK, 162 Lockport, N. Y.

A $25 A WEEK running printing machine and $15 a week for 3 hours' work distributing mailed literature. Write for particulars.

GOVERNMENT EMPLOYES WANTED—Write for Boston examination schedule; preparation free. FRANKLIN INSTITUTE, Dept. 0, Rochester, N. Y.

GOODYEAR welting, rounding, shucking, $75; cutting, running, $50; trimming, $25; finishing, $25. Learn trade. SHOE SCHOOL, 186 Chestnut st., Lynn. Evenings only.

INSTRUCTION in moving picture operating. Write EASTERN THEATRICAL AGENCY, Herkimer st., Boston.

LEARN automobile business in our repair shop; expert instruction; terms reasonable. 908 to 916 C, 1415 Washington st.

Male Situations Wanted.

A RELIABLE MAN would like work cleaning and washing offices cared for by the week; can furnish best of references; terms reasonable. Address H. 118 Hastings st., Cambridge.

ACCOUNTANT, auditor, systematizer, books opened, closed and audited; bookkeeping, $15 per week; commercial law, $10 per month. PROFESSIONAL EXPERT, P. O. Box 2304.

AUDITOR, EXPERT ACCOUNTANT wishes engagement; thoroughly competent; highest references; terms reasonable. Address AUDITOR, Box 2297.

AT SIGN PAINTER is open for engagement; prices reasonable; will guarantee satisfaction; can furnish customer's material; send postal. DOWN ST. Boston American.

A CAPABLE Southern colored man desires position as coachman; can drive and care for horses; will work cheap; can furnish best of references; can talk regarding any one. SAMUEL JONES, 29 Lenox st., Boston.

AN ALTO singing man would teach Spanish pupils; also would like to sing in choir; can furnish best of references; terms reasonable. Address A 501, Boston American.

A YOUNG woman would like position as housekeeper; is a good cook; best of city reference; will go in the country; is small child; good reference. Address H. 118 Hastings st., Cambridge, Mass.

A YOUNG Swedish man wishes to learn a trade; is used to horses. H 548, Boston American.

BOOKKEEPER—Experienced; will give time evenings to learn a trade or business; terms reasonable. Address H. 118 Hastings st., Cambridge.

BAKER—All-round man wants situation as 2d hand in bakery; can furnish best of city reference. H. BELISARIA, 30 Bowdoin st., Boston.

CHEF or all-round cook (colored) wants a position; can furnish best of city reference; will go out of city and in general work for the present. SILAS BAILEY, 1 Hancock st.

COLORED BOY, 16 years old, living at home, wants work in city or suburbs; is willing and obliging; best of reference; can drive. ALBERT BOAG, 1 Hancock st.

CLEANING—Is done by boiling and general cleaning; also window washing; reasonable rates; best of city reference. Address 1 Hancock st., Boston.

CARPENTER—Wants work on cottage work or jobbing; reasonable. C. D., 5 Pudding st., Boston.

CHAUFFEUR—American, single, wiser and careful driver, wants position; best of references. Address C. MATTHEWS, 105 Columbus ave., City.

COACHMAN or chauffeur; general handy man on place; long city reference; single; strictly temperate. Address Box 18, Wenham, Mass.

CLERK OF WORKS, American, first-class man; all parts; best of references. Address H. 118 Hastings st., Cambridge.

COLORED CHEF—Wife, pastry cook; handy boy or girl; both can furnish references. WILLARD, 651 Cambridge st., City.

CHAUFFEUR, young man; married, employed days; wants relief work several evenings; best of reference. Address H. 118 Hastings st., Cambridge.

EXPERIENCED pastry cook and provision clerk wants situation, $2 part of age, honest, capable and efficient. ALFRED NE. CHASE, 195 Bland st., West Somerville, Mass.

ENGRAVER'S APPRENTICE, 3 years' experience, script. WALTER HASKARD, 908 Tremont st., Boston.

FOREMAN for hand-made paper bags; folding boxes, paper cutter, bookbinder, wants position; 3,502, Boston American.

INDUSTRIOUS MACHINIST wants position. G. A. STETSON, 53 Bailey st., Ashmont, Mass.

MAN AND WIFE want house cleaning, may $1.75, woman $1.50; work satisfactory. A. 176 Northampton st., Boston. Tel. 1581-4 Bay.

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Female Situations Wanted.

CAPABLE and green Irish Nurse wants situation; best of city reference; moderate wages. 0 580, Boston American.

COMPANION—Widow, good address, would like position in small family of 2 adults; can furnish good references. 62 Quincy st., Dorchester.

COLORED WOMAN wants day's work or would take laundry work home; first-class ironer; is washing preferred; call or write. 1 Hancock st., Boston.

COMPETENT LAUNDRESS wants work by the day; best of city reference. 0 580, Boston American.

COLORED WOMAN wants work by the day; is a good cook; best of city reference. 0 580, Boston American.

COLORED WOMAN wants work by the day; is a good cook; best of city reference. H 118 Hastings st., Cambridge.

COLORED WOMAN wants position as housekeeper; is a widow; MRS. HATTIE O'BRIEN, 16 Burke st., Roxbury.

COLORED WOMAN wants day's washing; will take washing home; good references. 23A Bennet st., Boston.

COLORED WOMAN wants day's work; best of city reference. 0 580, Boston American.

SCOTCH WOMAN wants care of housework; reports or light work by day. JOAQUINA FRANCO, 29 Bay State road, Boston.

CAPABLE COLORED GIRL wants position; is a good cook; best of city reference. 0 580, Boston American.

DRESSMAKER wants more work; will go out; street and evening dresses; will also do coat and plain sewing at reasonable prices. MRS. MARY E. LEE, 1305 Main st., Waltham. Tel. 1305-3 Conc.

EXPERIENCED colored woman wants day's cleaning, cottages, etc., at teachers or general housework; best of city reference. 0 580, Boston American.

EXPERIENCED American housekeeper wants position; is a widow; no children; best of city references. Address H. W., 47 Bowdoin st., Boston.

FIRST-CLASS laundress wants laundry work to take home; good drying or ironing; best of city reference. 0 580, Boston American.

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I WOULD like your laundry work to do at home; I am a first-class laundress; all kinds of washing a specialty; work guaranteed. MRS. ROSE, 1 Hancock st., Boston.

I WILL take washing and ironing to do at home; best of city reference. 0 580, Boston American.

LAUNDRESS wants work by the day; best of city reference. 0 580, Boston American.

LAUNDRESS wants laundry work to take home; good drying or ironing; best of city reference. MISS MAGEE, 128 Hastings st., Cambridge.

LAUNDRESS wants laundry work to take home; good drying or ironing; best of city reference. 0 580, Boston American.

MULATTO girl, good housekeeper, wants work by the day or week; will take washing home; best of city reference. Write or call 1 Hancock st., Boston.

NEAT COLORED GIRL would like work; will go out of city; is a good cook; best of city reference. MISS G. Write 12 Hammond st., Boston.

NORWEGIAN trained nurse wants position to take care of invalid lady; best of city reference. MISS BARKNES, 604 Tremont st., Admont.

NEAT COLORED GIRL would like work; will go out of city; is a good cook; best of city reference. 0 580, Boston American.

NEAT YOUNG girl, any kind housework wants position; is a good cook; best of city reference. 0 580, Boston American.

AN EXPERIENCED COLORED GIRL would like day's work for any day in the week; cooking and general housework; best of city reference. MRS. BLAIR, 29 Merrill st., Dorchester. In. 1506-1 Dor.

PRINCE EDWARD Island girl wants work; position as housekeeper; is a widow; best of city reference. 0 580, Boston American.

WANTED—Work cleaning, white housework, washing or ironing. Address 1 Hancock st., Boston.

WANTED—Work by the day; best of city reference. MRS. ROSE,

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Wall Street's 'Laundry Business'

Some Slight Changes Are Needed

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There is a very loud and a very just howl for reform in Wall street.

The howl should continue and should become louder. But there should be some common sense scattered through it.

There's no doubt whatever that the Wall street stock exchange is the greatest gambling institution in the world. It isn't as harmful a gambling institution as the racetrack concern—for the stock exchange appeals only to the fairly rich men. The stock exchange ruins about one man where the racetrack would ruin ten. And stock exchange gambling manufactures about one thief where the racetrack gambling machine manufactures twenty.

Besides, it must always be remembered that, in addition to being a great and most vicious gambling institution, the stock exchange is a legitimate, a useful and an absolutely necessary part of the machinery of commerce and industry.

Men could not do business in this country unless they could borrow on their securities, or quickly change these securities for cash. And they could not borrow a large percentage of the value, or quickly get cash for the securities, UNLESS THE STOCK EXCHANGE CREATED AND MAINTAINED A STEADY MARKET.

The stock exchange, therefore, is a sort of a Jekyll and Hyde. It has its respectable and useful face, which must not be destroyed. And it is responsible for vicious gambling on a national scale, AND FOR SWINDLING AND DISHONEST GAMBLING OF THE WORST POSSIBLE CHARACTER.

The lowest gambler that ever ran a "brace game," the worst cheat that ever "slipped a card," the meanest, trickiest "three-shell worker" that ever robbed the greenhorns at a country fair cannot be compared, for shameless, persistent cheating, with some of the so-called highly respectable men in Wall street.

There are "so-called" respectable men in Wall street. And there are also really honest and really respectable men.

The honest men recently have shown some inclination to check the dishonesty and throw out the swindling gamblers. But the work must not be left to stock exchange men alone.

One bad feature of our modern life is that we let men regulate their own interests too much where the public is concerned, and naturally the public suffers.

We stupidly allow lawyers to make all our laws, and as a result our laws are involved, full of vexatious delays, and the lawyers get fat and the public gets thin under the lawyer-made legal system.

The public will get thin and the brokers will get fat as long as the brokers—no matter how good their intentions—are permitted to regulate stock exchange affairs with no control from the outside public.

The "wash sales," or so-called "laundry business," of the stock exchange have been slightly interfered with—but only slightly—by a recent reform in the exchange rules. This reform compels a man when he bids for a thousand shares or more of a stock to take a hundred shares at the price he bids—in case not more than a hundred be offered.

This checks slightly the "matched sales."

That was one of the swindling parts of Wall street's business.

A few big men had some stock, and they wanted the fools to buy the stock for more than it was worth. Then they began their so-called "wash sales." One would sell to the other a thousand shares at 100, and the other would sell the same thousand shares back at 102, and the other would sell the same thousand shares a third time at 103.

Or, there would be only one man operating, and he would be selling and buying the shares, doing the same thing himself, through brokers. And the foolish, swindled public would "see" a tremendous activity in that stock, with prices rising, and go in and buy—victims of a swindling game.

Naturally those "wash sales" were good for the eleven hundred brokers. Many of these could scarcely make a living without them.

The big operator, with his fake sales and his fake purchasers, paid the one-eighth of one per cent. to the broker on all his transactions. And the broker got fat and paid for his special wires and his high rent while the swindling robbed the public.

You could scarcely expect the brokers themselves to interfere very seriously with this dishonest wash sale business, which probably represented one-half of the gross income of all the brokers in Wall street. Each man was carrying out an order that, so far as he knew, was made in good faith, and his conscience did not make him ask whether the big swindler who ordered him to sell ten thousand shares at a certain price hadn't already arranged for some other broker to buy the same shares at that price—and all to fool the public.

Those things should be regulated, not by the brokers whose interests are involved, BUT BY THE PUBLIC WHOSE LARGER INTERESTS ARE INVOLVED. The legitimate part of stock exchange transactions, bona fide buying and selling, could safely be left, along with other business, to the laws of supply and demand, and the general cut-throat give and take of commercial life.

The people have a right to regulate THE GAMBLING END OF WALL STREET'S BUSINESS.

If a man sells cigars at one end of his store, and runs a little gambling machine at the far end of the counter, it's the business of the police to seize that gambling machine without listening to the cigar merchant's protests, or to his assertion that he is a dignified business man.

It's the duty of the State and of the police to attend to the gambling machine ON THE FAR END OF THE WALL STREET COUNTER, regardless of protests from gentlemen who declare themselves eminently respectable bankers and brokers.

The man who is engaged in gambling ought to be interfered with by the police.

The man who is not a promoter of gambling has nothing to fear from an inspection or examination.

Out and out Wall street gambling ought to stop, and it will stop.

In their new regulations the stock exchange authorities themselves recognized the gambling nature of their business, FOR THEY FORBADE BROKERS TO PERMIT BANK CLERKS TO SPECULATE IN THEIR OFFICES WITHOUT THE CONSENT OF THE EMPLOYER OF THE CLERK.

That means that they KNOW that bank clerks gamble in brokers' offices and rob banks to gamble.

Why should the stock exchange authorities protect BANKS ONLY and regulate the gambling by bank clerks only?

Why shouldn't every broker be compelled to give the name OF EVERY MAN THAT GAMBLES IN HIS OFFICE?

Why shouldn't the broker who accepts stolen money in the shape of margins be held responsible, just the same as the pawnbroker who lends on the stolen overcoat or watch?

There's plenty of room for Wall street reform. Room for about half the brokers—who are mere agents of gambling clients—to get into some better business, and for the other half to make a good and honestly-earned living without any gambling-house attachment.

The Other View Point

By ROBERT CARTER

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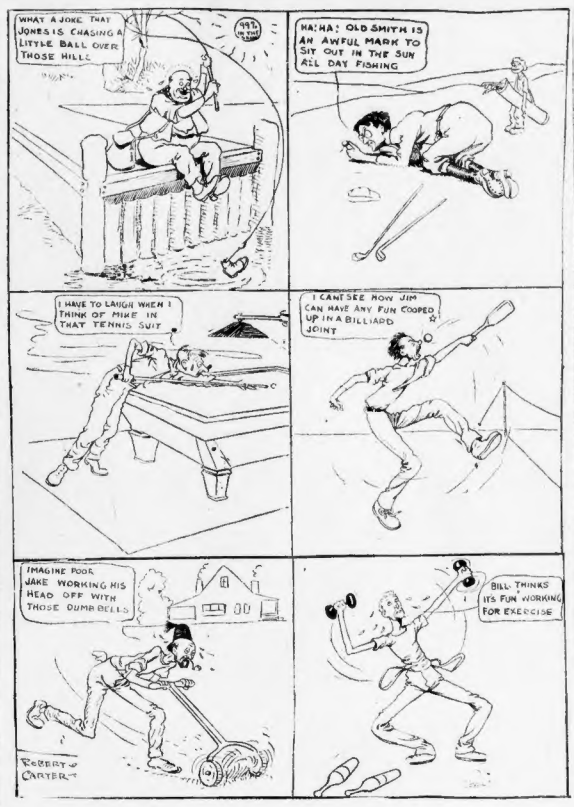
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A NEW SERIES—WATCH FOR THEM

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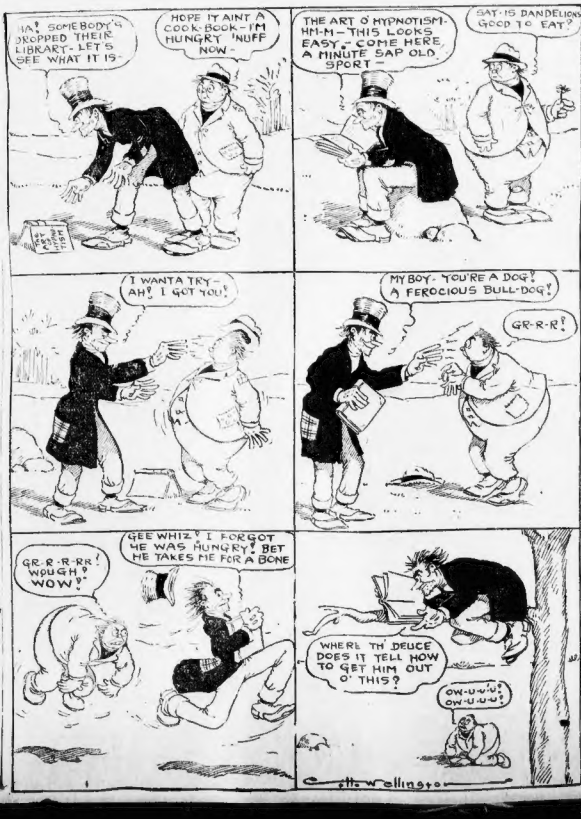
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MY BOY- YOU'RE A DOG! A FEROCIOUS BULL-DOG!
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OW-U-U-U! OW-U-U-U!
Chas. H. Wellington

New England's Textile Boom

Skilled Labor Puts These States far in the Lead in Wool and Cotton Industries

Nothing shows how empty are the prophecies too often heard in the past of New England's commercial passing, as the tremendous extensions made from day to day in her great industries. This is particularly true of textiles, in which she has been pre-eminent since the republic itself was an infant industry.

There have been those who feared the competition of growing centers of population in other parts of the United States would deprive New England of her leadership, especially in the cotton and wool industries.

The cotton was to be spun in the cities of the South, it was said. The great wool growers were weary of consigning their golden fleeces to Boston merchants for distribution among the thousands of looms all round about that city and were building great warehouses in the West.

But through it all comes New England triumphant. Wishing her neighbors well, with that sound patriotism which realizes her own prosperity is contingent on a like condition in all else of Uncle Sam's domain, she sees others elsewhere prosper without envy. Her annual accounting shows that, growing though they be, she still more than holds her own.

Take wool, for example. Boston is the wool capital of the western world. Only London is superior and the advantage of the city on the Thames gradually and surely lessens. Enough wool is brought each year into Boston and stored in the vast buildings in Summer street to cover Boston Common well up into the limbs and branches of its mighty elms.

But not alone in quantity does the American mother of the textile industry still lead. It is in quality as well. Vast mills with as many as five thousand operatives under one roof in cities like Lawrence take the wool from the sheep's back, all grease and soiled, and turn it out in the finest of worsted weaves, a fabric fit for a king and in fact worn by many of the monarchs of the earth who prefer the finer American goods to the products of their own subjects.

The number of woolen and worsted mills is steadily growing. More men and women than ever are employed and wages are the highest in the world. Frictions between employers and employes have been conspicuously absent for years and the total annual output is enormous.

New England's woolen industry is in a more flourishing condition than ever before. All that has been accomplished in the past is only an indication of what is to come. Here in these six old Commonwealths, in total area far less than any one of twenty other States, we have the great secret—the skilled labor. Moreover, it is here to stay.

Raw material is a very necessary thing and transportation (happily improving) is essential, but towering far over both in the economy of production is the skilled labor of the old New England States. Its like is nowhere else in all this world.

This makes for supremacy in New England's woolen industry. It has put her far in the lead. It will keep her there.

Steena Oleson

She Ban Find Out Her Faller Ban Coward

By WILLIAM F. KIRK.

"DIS har ban a funny yorld," said Steena. "Yu never knowing yust var yu stand. A faller fool me pule last night. He fool me gode and proper. Et ban purty tough yen a poor girl ban fooled on her night off."

"I quite agree with you," said the wife; "it is hard to trust a man and then find that he is false."

"Dis har faller ban false, Ay tell," said Steena. "But he ban a coward. He ban all the time talking 'bout how he ban a big fighter, and how he ban slick Maester Yeffries or Maester Yohnson. He say to me, Steena of Ay ban over meeting Yeff or yack, dar ant ban anyteag to it. Ay skol ban a walk off course, Ay can't help beleving him, because he ban such a big husky faller."

"Oh, yes," said the wife. "He is a splendid looking young officer."

"He tenk yu ban splendid, too," said Steena. "He tol me he tenk my madam ban a peach."

"Never mind about that," said the wife. "Tell me about how he fooled you."

"Vel, it ban dis vay," said Steena. "Yen Ay ban go sure he ban a great fighter, Ay ant afraide for going to tough dance down in South End with him. Ay tenk Ay skol be safe from dose har mashers. Ha! Ay ban fooled. Ay ban fooled."

"A funny looking little faller with boot ogs ban owner up to me and say, 'Dutch, ow about valk?' Ay tell him Ay ant Dutch and Ay only two-step. He say to me, 'Ef I ant Dutch, vot ban a gude kid, aylson.' Ay ban keen for yu,' he say. So 'go and getting mad at him, and Ay tal him Ay don't tenk he ban a yentleman. Ay say, 'Ef yu don't beating it, Ay skol call my yentleman freend.'

"Ay say a little more to him, too," added Steena. "Ay tol him my yentleman freend ban able to meet Yeffries or Yohnson, and he luff yuset so hard as he can. 'Ay s'pose he ban able to meet Yeff or Yack,' he say, 'if somebody cares for introducing him, but Ay don't tenk Yeff or Yack care for having him at all,' he say.

"Den he look at my yentleman freend again, and he say, 'Com over har, you big loon.' Yas, Missus, dat ban yust what he call my yentleman freend—a big loon. And Ay saying to myself, 'Ay bet he skol be carry for calling such names.' Ay bet my freend skol mash him on nose. Yes, vat yu tenk? My freend skol doing nothing. He yust stand dar, and den dis har little tough faller skol smashing him on yaw."

"What?"

"Oh, yaw. Yaw, under part of face."

"Oh, jaw. I see."

"Yes, on yaw. And my yentleman freend ban falling lak a log, and he ban staying dar, tu. Ay tenk one time he ban a great fighter, but now Ay tenk he ban a joke. Ay tenk he fooled. Please skol not be drink out of a cup. Munchausen was a liar. So was Oliver. Elephants will die if you shoot them.

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When the Twain Meet

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WILHELM—Wie gehts?

T. R.—Delighted. The best way to make beer is from hops.

W.—Giraffes are tall animals with spots on them. They are needful for testing new bullets upon. Naturalists are all wrong in their statements about this and all other African faunal specimens. For instance, in the seventeen giraffes which I collected there was not found a blade of grass. The animals lived upon pebbles which they found in the treetops and digested by means of a different kind of a chicken's.

W.—Beethoven was a great musician. Alaska is bounded by high mountains whence flow streams of Shak-spearean plays. Some of them are good and others are not so good. In shooting bears it is advisable to avoid getting too close until the animal has inevitably been made.

T. R.—Race suicide is a terrible crime. Without any opposition a country would sink into the condition of a third-class power and could not easily world police by leading any nation that ventured to disagree with it. The eff-elk is not a bird. Mollycoddles threaten the existence of any nation which permits them to live within its borders. Mollycoddles should be dipped in ice water every cold day to harden them into useful citizens.

W.—Jeffries will in the ring defeat Johnson. Pinchot is a good tennis player. The pyramids are smaller on top than on the bottom. The Egyptians should not be led by clerks.

T. R.—Clams live in the sand. They are silent and mutuous. A nation whose leaders are silent will never amount to a picayune in the affairs of the world. The stenographic a photograph is the ideal leader. Cold storage eggs are not so good as fresh. The tongue cannot whistle.

W.—The ancient Aztecs were a great people. They hit each other on the head with imbeciles made of stone. They had no trusts in those days, owing to their interstate commerce law, which was enforced against malefactors of great wealth.

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